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# Introduction

Welcome to HOPE not hate's report into the Counter-Jihad movement. This report is the largest and most comprehensive survey of groups and individuals who comprise the Counter-Jihad movement to date.

The report covers the right-wing political parties, who are increasingly using anti-Muslim rhetoric to garner votes. It explores the websites and bloggers who propagate scare stories about Islam. It covers the street gangs, like the English Defence League (EDL), and the like-minded groups they inspire around Europe. It investigates the funders and the foundations which bankroll parts of the movement. Perhaps controversially, it also includes some commentators whose insensible stridency, combined with a degree of credibility within mainstream opinion, help feed the climate of anti-Muslim hatred.

Of particular interest, it reveals some inter-connections between the different strands of this movement.

The Counter-Jihad movement, as we define it, is a broad church of people and ideas embracing neo-Conservatives, Christian evangelicals, hard-line racists, football hooligans, nationalists, right wing populists and some former leftists. Some are hard-line, others less so. Some are plainly racist, others are not (and would rail against at any suggestion that they might be). But in all cases the rhetoric used, either explicitly or by implication, leads us to question whether the target is merely radical Islam and Islamist extremist groups, or if it goes wider and, whether by design or not, incites hatred of Islam as a faith and Muslims as a people.

We believe that criticism of Islam is perfectly acceptable, as it should be of all religions. We believe that people should also speak out against Islamist extremism and those who carry out terrorism and violence in the name of Islam. Indeed, we ourselves have publicly condemned Islamist extremist groups and we will do so with increasing frequency in the future. What marks the Counter-Jihad movement out is that in the name of opposing Islamist extremism generalisations can be made about an entire faith and many fail to differentiate between the actions of a few and the vast majority of Muslims who also reject the extremists. The rhetoric of many of those who we include in the Counter-Jihad report actually contribute to heightening tensions between communities and the whipping up of fear.

In many ways the Counter-Jihad movement represents the new face of the political right in Europe and North America. Replacing the old racial nationalist politics of neo-Nazi and traditional far right parties, with the language of cultural and identity wars, it presents itself as more mainstream and respectable. And as we have seen in countries such as Denmark, the Netherlands and Switzerland these new right-wing populist parties, with an anti-Muslim and anti-immigration message, can garner support from far broader swathes of the population than the old-style racist parties.

But the Counter-Jihad movement is more than just right-wing populist political parties. As this report shows, the bloggers,

radio hosts and journalists are increasingly shaping and poisoning the wider political and media discourse. Over the next few years, as economic hardship bites and insecurity breeds fear of the 'Other', the strength and impact of the Counter-Jihad movement will probably grow. More work needs to be done in this field and as a result HOPE not hate is establishing a permanent Counter-Jihad Monitoring Unit. We will follow these organisations and individuals, produce further reports into their activities and develop the tools we need to defeat them politically.

The ideas emerging from the Counter-Jihad movement are largely based around the belief that Islam poses a serious threat to Western civilisation. Many of its adherents also fail to distinguish between the hardline radical Islamists, such as Al-Muhajiroun, and the overwhelming majority of Muslims who reject these extremist views and just want to live quietly and in peace. Immigration and multiculturalism are seen by many as the Trojan Horses through which Islam is gaining a foothold in the West.

Their numbers are numerically small but their influence is much bigger. Their anti-Muslim rhetoric poisons the political discourse, sometimes with deadly effect.

Norwegian killer Anders Behring Breivik was inspired by many of the Counter-Jihadists we profile in this report. Perhaps he would have gone on a killing spree without reading their work but it is clear their writings had an important impact on the creation of his political mindset. In his choice of targets it is obvious that he had accepted much of their hatred towards the political establishment.

He too believed that Islam was a threat to Western Europe. He too believed that the immigration and multiculturalist policies of many Western Governments were allowing Islam to go unchallenged and to prosper. He believed all this because he read what they wrote. He read it and he digested it. In his Manifesto he regurgitated it - sometimes word for word.

Almost a quarter of his 1,518-page Manifesto comprise of quotes from other people - the overwhelming majority from people featured in this report. Half of these 375 pages of quotes came from just one man, the Counter-Jihadist blogger Fjordman.

Yes, Breivik feared and hated Islam, but it was the Norwegian establishment who were his real enemy. More specifically it was social democracy that he and the Counter-Jihad movement blamed for encouraging and promoting immigration and multiculturalism. He bombed Government buildings and he shot young members of the ruling Labour Party.

The Counter-Jihadists were desperate to distance themselves from his actions. Many did so because they were genuinely appalled by what he did. Others were worried about how it would impact on them.

As our report highlights the Counter-Jihad movement is, in part, a loose network of bloggers, political activists, street gangs and



foundations. Sometimes they act alone, sometimes they join together. Some of the individuals sit on each other's boards and the organisations share platforms and co-host events.

Many of the key players and organisations have never actually met. Some operate under pseudonyms and others do not exist beyond the internet or a blog site.

The Counter-Jihad movement is the new face of the political right in Europe. The old racial nationalism of fascists and racists is receding but in its place are right wing populist parties and movements which make Islam the issue and Muslims the target. It manifests itself in different ways, in different countries, but its underlying message is the same. Sometimes it is focused around the single issue of Islam, but in other situations it becomes interwoven with wider politics of immigration, culture, loss and identity.

In the United States, five state legislatures have already banned Sharia law from being practised. It is being debated by another twenty. In Switzerland, people voted for a ban on Minarets despite the fact that there were only four in the country. In France, politicians of the centre and right tried to outbid each other in the 2012 Presidential election to prove how hardline they are on Muslim practices and extremism. The fear of Islam is playing an increasingly important role in the political discourse in many countries.

In many ways there is a symbiotic relationship between the Counter-Jihad movement and those they claim to oppose. Both point to the other to prove the need for their own existence. On an intellectual level both view the other as proof of the incompatibility of the religions to co-exist. On a street level both use the activities of the other as a recruiting tool. In December 2010 Detective Superintendent John Larkin, of the West Midlands Counter-Terrorism Unit, told the BBC that the activities

of the English Defence League were providing recruiting grounds for Islamist extremists.

"In some areas, we have evidence that once they have gone and the high-profile policing of the event has occurred, there's fertile ground for those groups who would come in to encourage people to have this reality - this is the way white Western society sees us," he told the BBC. "And that's a potential recruiting carrot for people and that's what some of these radicalisers look for - they look for the vulnerability, for the hook to pull people through and when the EDL have been and done what they've done, they perversely leave that behind."

In Norway, Anders Breivik's defence team are calling some of the leaders of Islamist extremist groups, including one man who was recently imprisoned for five years, to give evidence in his court case because these people will say that they want to turn Europe into an Islamic state.

On every level, the Counter-Jihad movement is one that we cannot afford to ignore. For this reason we have produced this Counter-Jihad report and are establishing the Counter-Jihad Monitoring Unit.

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# Glossary of terms

## Counter-Jihad

Counter-Jihad is a political current that is anti-Islamist and can regularly take the form of Islamophobia and be anti-Muslim in nature. It developed as an ideology during the 1970s and 1980s but it only gained momentum after the 11 September attacks on New York and Washington DC.

According to Toby Archer, a scholar of political extremism and terrorism, “Counter-jihad discourse mixes valid concerns about jihad-inspired terrorism with far more complex political issues about immigration to Europe from predominantly Muslim countries. It suggests that there is a threat not just from terrorism carried out by Islamic extremists but from Islam itself. Therefore, by extension, all European Muslims are a threat.”

To many of the ‘Counter-Jihadists’ named in this report, their self-definition comes from their interpretation of the threat from Islam. According to Edward S. May, who writes under the pseudonym Baron Bodissey, the Counter-Jihadist movement is based on the belief that “Islam is above all a totalitarian political ideology, sugar-coated with the trappings of a primitive desert religion to help veil its true nature. The publicly stated goal of Islamic theology and political ideology is to impose the rule of Islam over the entire world, and make it part of Dar al-Islam, the ‘House of Submission’.”

## Dhimmi

A term used to define non-Muslim subjects living in a Muslim state. In return for paying taxes they were given rights which marked them out from Muslims, including the consumption of pork and alcohol.

## Eurabia

A conspiracy theory claims that Europe is being “arabised” and “islamised”, often with the unwitting collusion of Western governments through an unwillingness to tackle Islamism and through their policies of encouraging diversity and multiculturalism.

The term was first used in the 1970s as the title of a journal published by the *Comité européen de coordination des associations d'amitié avec le monde Arabe*. However, it was Bat Ye-Or, in her 2005 book *Eurabia: The Euro-Arab Axis* that really set the definition for how it is understood today by Counter-Jihadists. She once explained Eurabia as:

“a geo-political reality envisaged in 1973 through a system of informal alliances between, on the one hand, the nine countries of the European Community (EC) which, enlarged, became the European Union (EU) in 1992 and on the other hand, the Mediterranean Arab countries. The alliances and agreements were elaborated at the top political level of each EC country with the representative of the European Commission, and their Arab homologues with the Arab League’s delegate. This system was synchronised under the roof of an association called the Euro-Arab Dialogue (EAD) created in July 1974 in Paris.”

She believes that this explains an alleged European hostility towards Israel.

Fear of “Eurabia” has become the paranoia underpinning the Counter-Jihad movement and explains their antipathy towards liberalism and many Western Governments.



## Islamist and Islamism

These terms are usually used to suggest that a particular individual or organisation is seeking to build political structures it deems Islamic. More recently, these terms are now widely used to refer to radical, militant ideological interpretations of Islam suffused with religious justifications for violent or revolutionary political action such as terrorism. Contemporary Islamism saw a revival in the 1970s and 1980s.

## Islamophobia

In 2005 the Council of Europe referred to Islamophobia as “the fear of or prejudiced viewpoint towards Islam, Muslims and matters pertaining to them. Whether it takes the shape of daily forms of racism and discrimination or more violent forms, Islamophobia is a violation of human rights and a threat to social cohesion.”

There has been some disquiet about the use of the term Islamophobia in light of the fact that the term has been used by Islamists as a means of hindering legitimate criticism of Islam or Muslims.

The Commission for British Muslims and Islamophobia (CBMI), in its influential report entitled *Islamophobia: a Challenge for us all*, in 1997 said “The word [Islamophobia] is not ideal, but is recognizably similar to ‘xenophobia’ and ‘europhobia’ and is a useful shorthand way of referring to dread or hatred of Islam – and, therefore, to fear or dislike all or most Muslims”.

## Jihad

The literal meaning of Jihad is struggle or effort, and it means much more than holy war.

Muslims use the word Jihad to describe three different kinds of struggle: a believer’s internal struggle to live out the Muslim faith as well as possible; the struggle to build a good Muslim society and Holy war: the struggle to defend Islam, with force if necessary.

## Sharia

Sharia is a system of law inspired by Islam and the Koran, and interpreted by Islamic scholars. Sharia is understood to rule not only Muslims but those living within a Muslim society, and governs all realms of a person’s life. Sharia’s influence on the law in Muslim nations, though, varies widely.

### The ‘Counter-Jihad’ Monitoring Unit

**HOPE not hate is establishing the The ‘Counter-Jihad’ Monitoring Unit to continue investigating these anti-Muslim organisations, blogsites and individuals.**

**We will be producing regular reports and briefings on the latest developments on this scene and we will continually be updating and expanding this website.**

**We will also produce a monthly e-bulletin, with updates and latest news and trends.**

**To obtain a copy of the The ‘Counter-Jihad’ Monitoring Unit bulletin please go to <http://www.hopenothate.org.uk/counter-jihad/>.**

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# The blind alley that is Eurabia

By Jean-Yves Camus

**T**he ideology that drove Anders Breivik Behring's frontal assault on the Norwegian state and young activists of the Social Democratic Party is not the ravings of a single man. It is an intellectual construct that he himself explains in his self-styled 2083 manifesto *A European Declaration of Independence*, a work which appears to be mainly a compilation of the writings of Anglo-Saxon authors belonging to the most radical fringe of the neo-conservative movement.

The investigation, *Det mørke nettet* (The Dark Network), by the Norwegian journalist Øyvind Strømmen clearly shows the anti-Muslim obsessions that have gripped a significant portion of the xenophobic radical right in Western Europe since the early 2000s. Above all, this is the fear of what they call "Eurabia", a neologism coined in 2006 by the essayist Bat Ye'or, designating a European continent and a culture that have surrendered voluntarily to Islam and to *Sharia*, its body of normative laws, having denied their "Judeo-Christian" roots and, in addition, that are being demographically overwhelmed by Muslims so that the white European "mainstream" will soon become a minority. According to this thesis, another neologism, the *dhimmitude* (being subjected to the protected status of subject – and thus second class citizen – after the imposition of Islam on non-Muslims) would be the inevitable future – and the conscious choice – of the peoples of our continent, if it not already our daily reality.

The theory of Eurabia is presented in two versions. Those with the scientific pretensions of Bat Ye'or and her followers, who are not ideologues of the extreme right, want to demonstrate that Europe, the "old Europe" is a lost continent that can claim only a subordinate role in the international arena, no longer embodying the values of the West. It has been little noted that this is also a strongly anti-French concept, as evidenced by David Pryce-Jones' 2008 book *Betrayal: France, the Arabs, and the Jews*, re-titled, thus, to return the stamp of antisemitic infamy to the Quai d'Orsay – the French Foreign Ministry – and to three successive republics and to present France as an unreliable ally or even an opponent of the United States, Great Britain and NATO.

In circles that treat "Eurabia" as an established reality, it is France that is designated as the main instigator of the policy of "capitulation" to Islam that allegedly began after the 1973 oil crisis. What is denied is nothing less than the right of France to have policies towards the Maghreb, the Mashreq and West Africa shaped by its geography and its history, policies that prefer a multipolar world to a remake of the Cold War in which the "Free World" should stem the onslaught of Islam.

We obviously hope that European foreign policy is not simply "realistic" and that it denounces abuses of human rights in the Arab world as elsewhere, that it reaffirms the right of Israel to exist in security and secure borders and that it recognises the right of Jews around the world to settle there. The question is whether, as the theory of Eurabia suggests, these goals can be achieved in any credible way by using concepts marked by skullduggery, by denying the reality of the existence

of the Palestinian people and by promoting a programme of global confrontation.

In the language of the theorists of Eurabia, the concept of the West has replaced that of Europe, evidence for them that our continent should be defined only by its transatlantic link and not as a distinct entity. The idea of Eurabia is used to give moral justification to America's undisputed world leadership, provided, of course, that US foreign policy is not that of President Barack Obama but his opponents, notably those who accuse the US head of state of selling out the interests of Israel and who have wanted, even since before the strengthening of international sanctions, to finish off the Tehran regime with military intervention. These same polemicists accuse Europe of abandoning its Jews to the new antisemitism of Muslim immigrants who are held to be inherently hostile to Israel's existence and supposedly promise the Israeli and Jewish peoples another genocide.

The theologian of the Holocaust, Richard L. Rubenstein, for whom the "genocidal potential" of Jihadist ideology is an outright threat to all non-Muslims, outlined this latter hypothesis in 2009 in his book *Jihad and Genocide*. In the Manichean world of Eurabia, Islam has replaced Communism as an enemy of civilisation. Like Communism, it is an absolute opponent, made even more formidable by being both an external enemy (*al Qaeda*, in particular) and the enemy within.

It is probably the latter aspect that has the most serious political consequences for the cohesion of European societies. Indeed, proponents of the Eurabia theory are obsessed with Islam, not Islamism. They consider that the first is both a culture and a political project, that of the global caliphate, and that the second is neither reformable nor capable of moderating itself. This amounts to a kind of ideological house arrest for individuals of Arab-Muslim identity that they cannot even shed by assimilation. Conversion of Muslims to Christianity is not a very popular option among anti-radical Muslims among whom practicing Catholics and Protestants are a minority.

The constant reference to Judeo-Christianity is, in itself, problematic insofar as this notion is on shaky theological ground, unacceptable from the standpoint of traditional Judaism and to which Catholic fundamentalists only pay lip service. As a consequence proponents of Eurabia think that those who are born Muslims have only one way to renounce it: that of public apostasy.

The controversy around Eurabia burns most fiercely in secular circles in France. On the one hand, there are activists who have never spared criticism of political Islam and continue to fight against all forms of fundamentalism, proclaiming themselves as the integrationist and universalist republican left. On the other hand, however, some of their former fellow travellers seem to have evolved towards ethno-differentialism, ideas about the "clash of civilisations" and a fight against Islam whose outcomes are not easily determined and could include drastic restriction of freedom of worship for Muslims,





as suggested by their new-found idol Geert Wilders or could even shift towards a national patriotism born on the shore of the left sovereignty that would reduce the concept of *Nation* to the question of “identity” and end by agreeing with a “mainstreamised” Front National.

One can also point out that the Dutch Freedom Party, like Pim Fortuyn before it and the xenophobic populism found in Scandinavia, has marshalled the emancipatory ideas of the left in the 70s – rights of women, homosexuals and other minorities (Jews in particular) threatened by the suppression of “deviance” that Islamists in power would implement – against Islam. The final theoretical problem posed by the notion of Eurabia is the use of the terms “Islamofascism” and “nazislamism”, the former having been used by George W. Bush himself.

These polemical terms are scientifically irrelevant because fascism and Nazism are ideologies of the New Man and not of a return to a Golden Age. They are obsessed with modernity and upheaval – the fascist Italian Casapound uses the term *turbofascism* to describe its ideas – and not the static and they resort to the cult of the Total State, whereas Islam thrives under economic liberalism and low state intervention state and, in its radical form, completely rejects the need for the State.

This kind of argumentation, the same kind that equates communism and fascism, precludes any consideration of the nuances and different categories of totalitarianism even if they are all morally reprehensible. Comparing Islamism with fascism and Nazism means that, as the memories of the latter diminish, the acceptability of Islamism will grow. Meanwhile, the concept of *Green [Islamic] fascism* allows those who subscribe to it to

claim, falsely, that their own resistance to Islam emulates the moral and political continuity of the struggle against the Fascist and Nazi powers of the past. Indeed, a newly created Counter-Jihadist group in Belgium has called itself simply *The Resistance*.

The Islamophobic Westernism of the proponents of Eurabia is a dead end. It is primarily a debilitating myth because, if the Islamisation of Europe has already taken place, if the peoples of Europe are already minority on their continent, if they have no sense of history and politics, why fight for a civilisation that is already doomed or has already passed away? Eurabia is a defeatist and demotivating thinking posture. The very idea demeans the concept of European civilisation to the level of a backlash against the Other without proposing a coherent cultural project capable of defining the values that would facilitate integration of Europe’s Muslims. It demonstrates the enormous difficulties European culture has in talking about identities while avoiding the twin dangers of relativism and uniformity. It is also a geopolitical absurdity because it ignores the fact that the location of Europe makes it the main contact zone with the Arab-Muslim world.

All of these things show the real desires of the proponents of Eurabia. As suggested by the name of their favourite website, they want to reduce Europe to being a political night watchman looking constantly towards “The Gates of Vienna” to prepare the *Reconquista*, emulating the final recapture of the Iberian Peninsula from the Moors in 1492.

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# The History and Ideology of the International Counter-Jihad Movement





During the past six years an anti-Islamist political ideology, commonly known as Counter-Jihad, has entered the political lexicon and steadily gained increasing prominence across Europe and North America. A Counter-Jihad movement did not evolve immediately after the terrorist attacks against the United States on 11 September 2001 (9/11), but began to organise and create networks in the autumn of 2006.

The Counter-Jihad movement is a tendency which covers a diverse range of individuals and organisations which have coalesced around an ideology of opposition to Islam. The movement opposes and campaigns against the encroachment of Sharia law and the Islamisation of Europe, North America and the wider non-Muslim world. Its adherents believe that traditional Western civilisation and culture is being destroyed by multiculturalism and mass Muslim immigration. They accuse Islam itself and Muslim minority communities in Europe and North America in general, rather than the actions of a few Islamist extremists and Jihad-inspired terrorists, of being a threat to Western culture.

Some Counter-Jihad advocates willingly accept the label 'Islamophobic' (an exaggerated fear, hatred and hostility towards Islam and Muslims) and they describe the religion as totalitarian and 'Islamofascist'. They have manufactured and exaggerated perceived threats of 'creeping sharia', 'stealth jihad', 'demographic jihad' and the Islamisation of the West. Many believe that there is no such thing as a moderate Muslim. Some follow the concept of 'Eurabia', the gradual and wilful takeover of Europe by Islam.

The international network of Counter-Jihad individuals and organisations has greatly influenced the nature of national and international public and political discourse on the position of Islam and the integration of Muslim minorities in Western societies. It has contributed to negative perceptions of Islam, Muslim minorities and Islamic culture throughout Europe and North America.

At the most extreme end of the scale are far-right nationalists, such as Norwegian mass murderer Anders Behring Breivik, who predict civil war in Europe while at the other end are mainstream writers and politicians who bring intellectual credibility to the Counter-Jihad discourse in a way that helps concepts such as 'Eurabia' move from the margins into mainstream credibility.

The work and writings of these individuals on Islam and multiculturalism appear to have influenced Breivik's worldview, which sees Islam at war with the West and the West needing to be defended. Their commentaries were cited many times by Breivik in his 1,518-page *2083: A European Declaration of Independence* manifesto posted online ninety minutes before his initial terrorist attack in Oslo on 22 July 2011.

The Counter-Jihad movement was originally predominantly an internet-based political discourse, centred around blogs such

as *Atlas Shrugs*, *Gates of Vienna* and *Jihad Watch*, whose respective editors are Pamela L. Geller, Edward S. May and Robert B. Spencer. Their views are influenced by writers such as Fjordman (aka Peder Nøstvold Jensen) and Bat Ye'or.

The international Counter-Jihad movement has grown and become more organised in recent years and the network now co-ordinates and disseminates its ideology and writings via a plethora of Counter-Jihad organisations across Europe, North America and the wider world in the form of books, reports, websites, blogs and international conferences. Many of the organisations are interconnected and their leading personnel have overlapping memberships.



# The History and Ideology of the International Counter-Jihad Movement continued

## The Network

The international Counter-Jihad movement is a decentralised network that connects a disparate coalition of different organisations and individuals. It includes:

- single-issue, anti-Islamist, campaigning organisations such as Stop Islamisation of Europe (SIOE), Stop Islamization of America (SIOA) and ACT! for America
- grassroots organisations such as the Tennessee Freedom Coalition (TFC)
- Counter-Jihad bloggers and commentators
- writers, scholars, academics, ideologues and journalists
- neo-conservative think-tanks such as the Center for Security Policy (CSP), Middle East Forum (MEF) and Society of Americans for National Existence (SANE)
- populist and nationalist parties in Europe
- street protest social movements such as the English Defence League (EDL) and its network of sister national Defence Leagues across Europe
- conservative Christian right fundamentalist evangelical organisations such as Christian Concern (CC) in the UK and Christian Action Network (CAN) in the United States
- political leaders such as Geert Wilders (leader of the Party for Freedom) in the Netherlands and Lt Col. Allen B. West (Republican Congressman from Florida) in the United States
- conservative media outlets via a loosely-aligned network of websites, blogs, online magazines, newspapers, national cable television and talk-radio shows
- direct and indirect funding from conservative foundations and wealthy donors

## Activity

A series of annual international *Counter-Jihad* conferences have been organised in Europe by the US-based International Civil Liberties Alliance (ICLA) since 2007. The first such gathering of Counter-Jihad activists from Europe and North America took place in Brussels on 18-19 October 2007.

Since 2007 the international Counter-Jihad network has:

- launched 'anti-Sharia' legislative initiatives and constitutional challenges at the national, regional and local level to thwart the alleged encroachment of Sharia law
- lobbied the established mainstream parties to adopt anti-Sharia positions
- organised anti-Islamist demonstrations with other like-minded organisations
- established legal defence funds for activists charged with anti-Islamist 'hate speech'
- encouraged the formation of populist, anti-Islamist political parties in Europe
- targeted the mainstream and alternative media



Photo: David Lagerlof/Expo.

# Timeline of the History of the International Counter-Jihad Movement

Post-9/11	Proliferation of <b>anti-Islamist blogs</b> founded in Europe and the United States such as <i>Jihad Watch</i> (2003), <i>Atlas Shrugs</i> (2004), <i>Gates of Vienna</i> (2004) and <i>Fjordman</i> (2005)
26 September 2006	<b>910 Group</b> founded as a decentralised network to co-ordinate the activities of an emerging sub-network of Counter-Jihad organisations and activists in Europe and North America, opposed to the encroachment of Sharia law and the Islamisation of the West
24 November 2006	Call for the launch of an Anti-Islamofascist Movement by Steve C. Baldwin (Executive Director, Council for National Policy) and Dr Jack Wheeler (Founder and President, Freedom Research Foundation) (To The Point News, 24 November 2006)
1 March 2007	910 Group renamed the <b>Center for Vigilant Freedom (CVF)</b>
March 2007	<b>Stop Islamisation of Europe (SIOE)</b> founded as a pan-European umbrella network of national SIOE organisations across Europe
14 April 2007	<b>UK and Scandinavia Counter-Jihad</b> summit, Copenhagen, Denmark
18-19 October 2007	Inaugural <b>Counter-Jihad</b> conference, Brussels, Belgium
11-12 May 2008	<b>2nd annual Counter-Jihad</b> conference, Vienna, Austria
1 January 2009	<b>International Free Press Society (IFPS)</b> founded as an international umbrella campaigning network of so-called national Free Press [i.e. speech] societies across the world, to defend free speech
16 May 2009	CVF renamed the <b>International Civil Liberties Alliance (ICLA)</b>
16-17 May 2009	<b>3rd annual Counter-Jihad</b> conference, Copenhagen, Denmark
27 June 2009	<b>English [and Welsh] Defence League (EDL)</b> founded in the UK
25 September 2009	<b>Stop Islamization of America (SIOA)</b> founded in the United States
12-13 June 2010	<b>4th annual Counter-Jihad</b> conference, Zurich, Switzerland
September 2010	<b>European Freedom Initiative (EFI)</b> founded as a pan-European umbrella network of Counter-Jihad organisations
30 October 2010	<b>European Defence League</b> launched in Amsterdam as a pan-European network of national Defence Leagues across Europe
24-25 September 2011	<b>5th annual Counter-Jihad</b> conference, London, UK
17 January 2012	<b>Stop Islamization of Nations (SION)</b> founded as an international umbrella network of Counter-Jihad organisations across Europe and North America
31 March 2012	<b>European Defence League</b> re-launch rally, Aarhus, Denmark
11 September 2012	Inaugural <b>Stop Islamization of Nations (SION) International Freedom Defense Congress</b> in New York, United States





# International 'Counter-Jihad' organisations

## Stop Islamization of Nations

**FOUNDED 17 JANUARY 2012 as a transatlantic umbrella network of Counter-Jihad organisations across Europe and the United States, which includes Stop Islamisation of Europe (SIOE) and Stop Islamization of America (SIOA). SION has pledged to publicise 'the names of politicians, academics, journalists, artists and their networks that promote the Islamization of Western policy and culture'. SION is organising an International Freedom Defense Congress in New York on 11 September 2012.**

- Co-founder and President: **Pamela L. Geller** (Executive Director: Stop Islamization of America and American Freedom Defense Initiative)
- Co-founder and Vice-President: **Robert B. Spencer** (Associate Director: Stop Islamization of America and American Freedom Defense Initiative)
- Co-founder: **Anders Gravers Pedersen** (Organiser: Stop Islamisation of Europe, Stop Islamisation of Denmark and SIOE Danmark, and mastermind behind the pan-European, Counter-Jihad movement)

SION's Advisory Board members are:

- **Oskar Freysinger** (Swiss People's Party MP, who led a campaign in 2009 against the construction of new minarets in Switzerland, which was endorsed in a national referendum on 29 November 2009)
- **Stefan Herre** (Founder, *Politically Incorrect* anti-Islamist blog, which campaigns against the Islamisation of Europe)

- **Dr Mordechai Kedar** (Israeli author)
- **Cliff Kincaid** (Director, Accuracy in Media)
- **Ezra Levant** (Canadian publisher and advisory board member, International Free Press Society)
- **Dr Ashraf Rameleh** (President, Voice of the Copts, an international organisation representing Egyptian Coptic Christians)
- **Dr Ali Sina** (Canadian-Iranian former Muslim and founder, Faith Freedom International)
- **Dr Wafa Sultan** (Syrian-born, US-based psychiatrist; former Muslim and co-founder, Former Muslims United)
- **Dr Babu Suseelan** (Hindu human rights activist, who addressed the SIOA's *No 9/11 Mosque at Ground Zero* rally in New York on 6 June 2010)

The speakers arranged for the SION conference in New York on 11 September 2012 include from Denmark (**Anders Gravers Pedersen**; **Lars Hedegaard**, President, International Free Press Society and **Lars Vilks**, notorious cartoonist of Prophet Muhammad in 2007), Italy (human rights activists **Magdi Christiano Allam** and **Valentina Colombo**), Israel (**Dr Mordechai Kedar**), Egypt (**Dr Ashraf Rameleh**), United Kingdom (**Paul Weston** (leader, British Freedom Party) and Canada (**Dr Ali Sina**, Founder, Faith Freedom International) and United States (**Cliff Kincaid**).







## Stop Islamisation of Europe

**FOUNDED MARCH 2007 as a non-party, single-issue, pan-European umbrella network of affiliated national SIOE organisations across Europe. The SIOE campaigns against the introduction of Sharia law, the construction of new mosques and the Islamisation of Europe.**

SIOE's motto includes the phrase: "Islamophobia is the height of common sense!" SIOE has established a network of affiliated anti-Islamist organisations in sixteen countries across Europe. It has organised a series of demonstrations across Europe since its first in Brussels on 11 September 2007, with which it co-operated with Vlaams Belang (VB). It organised a *No Sharia Here!* demonstration in central London on 26 October 2007.

In September 2009, British Labour Party minister John Denham criticised the group and claimed it was "trying to provoke violence on Britain's streets".

■ Co-founder and Leader: **Anders Gravers Pedersen**  
(Organiser: Stop Islamisation of Denmark and SIOE Danmark and advisory board member, Stop Islamization of Nations)

■ Co-founder: **Stephen Gash** (founder, Stop Islamisation of Europe – England and former National Council member, English Democrats Party)



A demonstration staged by Stop Islamisation of Europe being policed in Brussels, Belgium. Photo: flickr.com/photos/skender/

Links ■ [www.freedomdefense.typepad.com/sion](http://www.freedomdefense.typepad.com/sion) and  
■ [www.facebook.com/pages/SION-Stop-Islamization-of-Nations/150974048350848?sk=wall](https://www.facebook.com/pages/SION-Stop-Islamization-of-Nations/150974048350848?sk=wall)

Links ■ [www.sioeeu.wordpress](http://www.sioeeu.wordpress)



### International Civil Liberties Alliance

**FOUNDED 26 SEPTEMBER 2006 originally as the 910 Group (named after the day before the terrorist attacks of 9/11 on 11 September 2011).**

It was renamed the **Center for Vigilant Freedom (CVF)** ([www.vigilantfreedom.org](http://www.vigilantfreedom.org)) on 1 March 2007, which in turn was renamed the International Civil Liberties Alliance (ICLA) on 16 May 2009. The Fairfax, Virginia, United States-based ICLA is a decentralised network that co-ordinates the activities of a sub-network of Counter-Jihad organisations and activists in Europe and North America and the wider-world. The international movement covers 20 countries in Europe, the United States, Canada, India, Australia and New Zealand. [The 910 Group was organised online in local branches. The CVF was run by a Board. The CVF published a weekly *Vigilant Freedom Newsletter* (12 January-10 October 2007).]

The CVF/ICLA runs the *Counter-Jihad Europa* website, which acts as a 'clearing house for national initiatives to oppose the Islamisation of Europe'. It organised the UK and Scandinavia *Counter-Jihad* summit in Copenhagen (14 April 2007) and the series of annual pan-European *Counter-Jihad* conferences since 2007: Brussels (18-19 October 2007), Vienna (10-11 May 2008), Copenhagen (16-17 May 2009), Zurich (12-13 June 2010) and London (24-25 September 2011). It has also attempted since 2007 to develop an alternative media network in Europe.

■ Chief Executive: **Christine Brim** (Chief Operating Officer, Center for Security Policy; Secretary, International Free Press Society; Executive Director, Victory Coalition Fund)

■ Co-Director, CVF/ICLA: **Vicky Marlene Kaufer** (aka **Vicktorya Stone Kaufer**)

■ Co-Director and European Co-ordinator: **Christopher Knowles** (aka **Aeneas Lavinium** and **Aeneas Europa**) (activist, British Freedom Party; co-founder, English Defence League; former co-organiser, Wakefield-registered Vigilant Freedom Europa, European chapter of the CVF; Counter-Jihadist blogger since 2006 and founder, Beer n Sandwiches <http://beernsandwiches.blogspot.co.uk/> Counter-Jihadist blog)

■ Former CVF/ICLA European Co-ordinator: **Ann Marchini** (aka **Dominique Devaux** aka **Gaia**) (activist, British Freedom Party and co-founder, English Defence League)

■ Former Co-Director, CVF/ICLA: **Ned May** (aka **Edward S. May** aka **Baron Bodissey**) (founder *Gates of Viennablog*)

■ Former Public Information Officer, CVF: **Kyle Shideler**.

The ICLA has organised a number of international Counter-Jihad conferences over the last few years which have become the most important events for the global movement.

They include: Counter-Jihad Brussels (October 2007); Counter-Jihad Vienna (May 2008); Counter-Jihad Copenhagen (May 2009); Counter-Jihad Zurich (June 2010); Counter-Jihad London (September 2011).



Christine Brim,  
Chief Executive ICLA

Links ■ ICLA Website: [www.libertiesalliance.org](http://www.libertiesalliance.org)  
■ CVF website: [www.vigilantfreedom.org](http://www.vigilantfreedom.org)  
■ CVF blog: [www.the910group.blogspot.com](http://www.the910group.blogspot.com)



## Counter-Jihad Europa

**LAUNCHED 18-19 OCTOBER 2007 at the inaugural Counter-Jihad conference in Brussels by the United States-based Center for Vigilant Freedom (CVF), since renamed the International Civil Liberties Alliance (ICLA).**

It is the online blog for the series of annual international Counter-Jihad conferences in Europe organised by the ICLA. It is designed to co-ordinate a pan-European network of Counter-Jihad organisations which campaign against Sharia law and the Islamisation of Europe. Its affiliated organisations include Stop Islamisation of Europe (SIOE), SIOE-England, Vlaams Belang (VB) in Belgium and Faith Freedom International (FFI). It acts as a clearinghouse for information and national initiatives to oppose the Islamisation of Europe. It uses alternative media and targets new social media, such as YouTube and other online video services, to disseminate 'dissident' non-politically correct information on the Islamisation of Europe.

## European Defence Leagues

**NUMEROUS OFFSHOOTS of the English Defence League (EDL) have been launched since 2009 to form an international Defence League movement, which is opposed to the Islamisation of Europe and the wider-world.**

On 30 October 2010 there was an attempt to form the European Defence League in Amsterdam, though the demonstration was poorly attended and there has been little international co-ordination since. The European Defence League claims to campaign against Sharia law and the Islamisation of Europe, though it is still dominated by the only successful group, the English Defence League. It is allied to the European Freedom Initiative (EFI).

The European Defence League was re-launched at a *European Counter-Jihad* rally of national Defence Leagues and Counter-Jihadist activists in Aarhus, Denmark on 31 March 2012, which was attended by Defence League groups from Denmark, Norway, Sweden, Finland, the UK, Germany and Russia. However, only 170 people attended the rally, far fewer than had been predicted.

The next European Defence League event is planned for Malmö, Sweden.



Links ■ [www.counterjihadeuropa.wordpress.com](http://www.counterjihadeuropa.wordpress.com)

Links ■ [facebook.com/group.php?gid=151622617823](https://facebook.com/group.php?gid=151622617823)





## International Free Press Society

**FOUNDED 1 JANUARY 2009 as an international umbrella campaigning network of so-called national Free Press [speech] societies across the world, to defend free speech. The IFPS co-ordinates the activities of the various national societies. The IFPS was launched by the Danish Free Press Society, and is based at the latter's Copenhagen offices.**

The IFPS has championed the cause of Geert Wilders (Leader, Dutch Party for Freedom). It launched an international campaign, petition and Defence Fund on 21 January 2009 for Wilders in support of his freedom of speech to criticise Islam and also co-sponsored his speaking tour of major cities across the United States from February-April 2009.

It has supported the work of several high profile anti-Islamist writers and politicians, including Ayaan Hirsi Ali, Ibn Warraq, Daniel Pipes, Geert Wilders, Bruce Bawer and Henryk Broder. It has created the Sappho Award for the 'journalist who combines excellence in his work with courage and a refusal to compromise and this has been awarded to Kurt Westergaard, the Danish cartoonist who drew the infamous Muhammad cartoon, and Flemming Rose, the cultural editor of *Jyllands-Posten*, the newspaper which initially published it on 30 September 2005.

IFPS's Board of Directors are:

- Founder and President: **Lars Hedegaard** (President, Danish Free Press Society and historian)
- Co-Vice Presidents: **Dr Paul Belien** (Editor, The Brussels Journal blog and former Director, Islamist Watch) and **Diana West** (Contributing Editor, *Family Security Matters*), since 2009

■ Secretary: **Christine Brim** (Chief Executive, International Civil Liberties Alliance and Chief Operating Officer, Center for Security Policy), since 2009

■ Treasurer: **Bjørn Larsen** (President, IFPS – Canada), since 2009

■ Former Outreach Co-ordinator: **Edward S. May** (aka **Ned May** and **Baron Bodissey**) (Founder, *Gates of Vienna* blog), 2009-2010

■ **Stephen C. Coughlin** (co-author, *Shariah: The Threat to America - An Exercise in Competitive Analysis Report of Team B II*, Center for Security Policy Press, 2010)

IFPS's Advisory Board members are:

■ **Dr Andrew G. Bostom** (author)

■ **Dr Rachel Ehrenfeld** (Director, American Center for Democracy and advisory board member, Endowment for Middle East Truth)

■ **Brigitte Gabriel** (President: ACT! for America and ACT! for America Education)

■ **David B. Harris** (Canadian lawyer)

■ **Roger Kimball** (Editor and Publisher, *The New Criterion* magazine [www.newcriterion.com](http://www.newcriterion.com); President and publisher, Encounter Books)

■ **Frank J. Gaffney Jr.** (President, Center for Security Policy)

■ **Professor Ole Hasselbalch** (Co-leader, The Danish Society)

■ **Ezra Levant** (Canadian publisher and advisory board member, Stop Islamization of Nations)



left to right: Hans Rustad (Norway), the Swedes Gunnar Sandelin and Ingrid Carlqvist and the Danes Lars Hedegaard and Mikael Jalving

- **Clare M. Lopez** (Senior Fellow, Center for Security Policy; Vice-President, Intelligence Summit and advisory board member, Clarion Fund)
- **Martin Mawyer** (Director, Christian Action Network)
- **Andrew C. McCarthy** (Senior Fellow, National Review Institute and Contributing Editor, *National Review Online*)
- **Dr Daniel Pipes** (Director, Middle East Forum)
- **Nidra Poller** (US-born, Paris Editor, Pajamas Media, who addressed the inaugural *Counter-Jihad* conference in Brussels on 18 October 2007)
- **Professor Roger Scruton** (Philosopher; Founder and Consulting Editor, *The Salisbury Review* magazine)
- **Kathy Shaidle** (Toronto-based conservative Columnist, [www.kathyshaidle.com](http://www.kathyshaidle.com); founder Editor, *FiveFeetofFury* [www.fivefeetoffury.com](http://www.fivefeetoffury.com) blog, since 2007, and who addressed a Jewish Defense League of Canada *solidarity rally for Geert Wilders* in Toronto on 20 January 2010)
- **Sam Solomon** (Islamic Affairs Advisor; former Muslim scholar and author, *A Proposed Charter of Muslim Understanding*, which was launched at the European Parliament on 13 December 2006)
- **Robert B. Spencer** (Vice-President, Stop Islamization of Nations; Associate Director: American Freedom Defense Initiative and Stop Islamization of America; and Director, *Jihad Watch*)
- **Mark Steyn** (Canadian-born, US-based political commentator and author)
- **Brad Thor** (novelist; [www.bradthor.com](http://www.bradthor.com))
- **Professor Bruce Thornton** (author, *Decline and Fall: Europe's Slow Motion Suicide* (Encounter Books, 2008))
- **Geert Wilders** (leader, Dutch Party for Freedom)
- **Bat Ye'or** (aka **Gisèle Littman née Orebi**) (Egyptian-Jewish exile, who developed the theory of 'Eurabia')
- **Ibn Warraq** (Chair, Institute for the Secularization of Islamic Society and co-founder, Former Muslims United)
- **Allen B. West** (Republican Congressman from Florida)

#### Links

- [www.internationalfreepressociety.org](http://www.internationalfreepressociety.org)
- [www.internationalfreepressociety.wordpress.com](http://www.internationalfreepressociety.wordpress.com)
- [www.freepressociety.blogspot.co.uk](http://www.freepressociety.blogspot.co.uk)
- <http://snaphanen.dk>



## Faith Freedom International

**Founded 26 October 2001 as an international grassroots movement and online network of former Muslims.**

The FFI is a member of the *Counter-Jihad Europa* network. FFI collaborated in the launch of WikiIslam ([www.wikiislam.net](http://www.wikiislam.net)) on 4 September 2006, which aimed to become the one-stop online source of information critical of Islam. WikiIslam became independent of FFI in August 2008. FFI launched a *Freedom Bulwark: Worldwide Resistance Movement Fighting Islamic Domination* ([www.freedombulwark.net](http://www.freedombulwark.net)) blog in 2010. FFI works closely with Stop Islamization of America (SIOA).

■ Founder: **Dr Ali Sina** (pseudonym) (Canadian-Iranian former Muslim)

#### Links

- [www.faithfreedom.org](http://www.faithfreedom.org)
- [www.forum09.faithfreedom.org](http://www.forum09.faithfreedom.org)

## European Freedom Initiative

**Founded September 2010 as a pan-European umbrella coalition of Counter-Jihadist organisations organisations. The EFI also acts as a news service for the Counter-Jihad movement in Europe.**

Its affiliated organisations include the English Defence League (EDL) and its sister offshoot national Defence Leagues across Europe, Stop Islamisation of Europe (SIOE) (which affiliated on 25 October 2010), International Civil Liberties Alliance (ICLA) and the *Gates of Vienna* blog.

The EFI co-ordinates the activities of the network of national Defence Leagues. It organised the launch rally of the European Defence League in Amsterdam on 30 October 2010 and helped co-ordinate the *European Counter-Jihad* re-launch rally of the European Defence League in Aarhus, Denmark on 31 March 2012.

■ Founder and Organiser: **Steve Simmons** (aka **Chris Redmond**) (former Head of Media, English Defence League)

#### Links

- [www.european-freedom-initiative.org](http://www.european-freedom-initiative.org)
- [www.twitter.com/#!/europeanfi](https://twitter.com/#!/europeanfi)



## United Kingdom

### Stephen Lennon (aka Tommy Robinson)

Stephen Lennon is the co-founder, spokesperson and leader of the English Defence League (EDL), the main anti-Islamist street protest movement in the world. He is viewed as an inspirational figure to both the militant and the political wings of the Counter-Jihad movement and is considered by them to be a trailblazer. Images of EDL demonstrations have been used at Tea Party movement fundraisers in the United States.

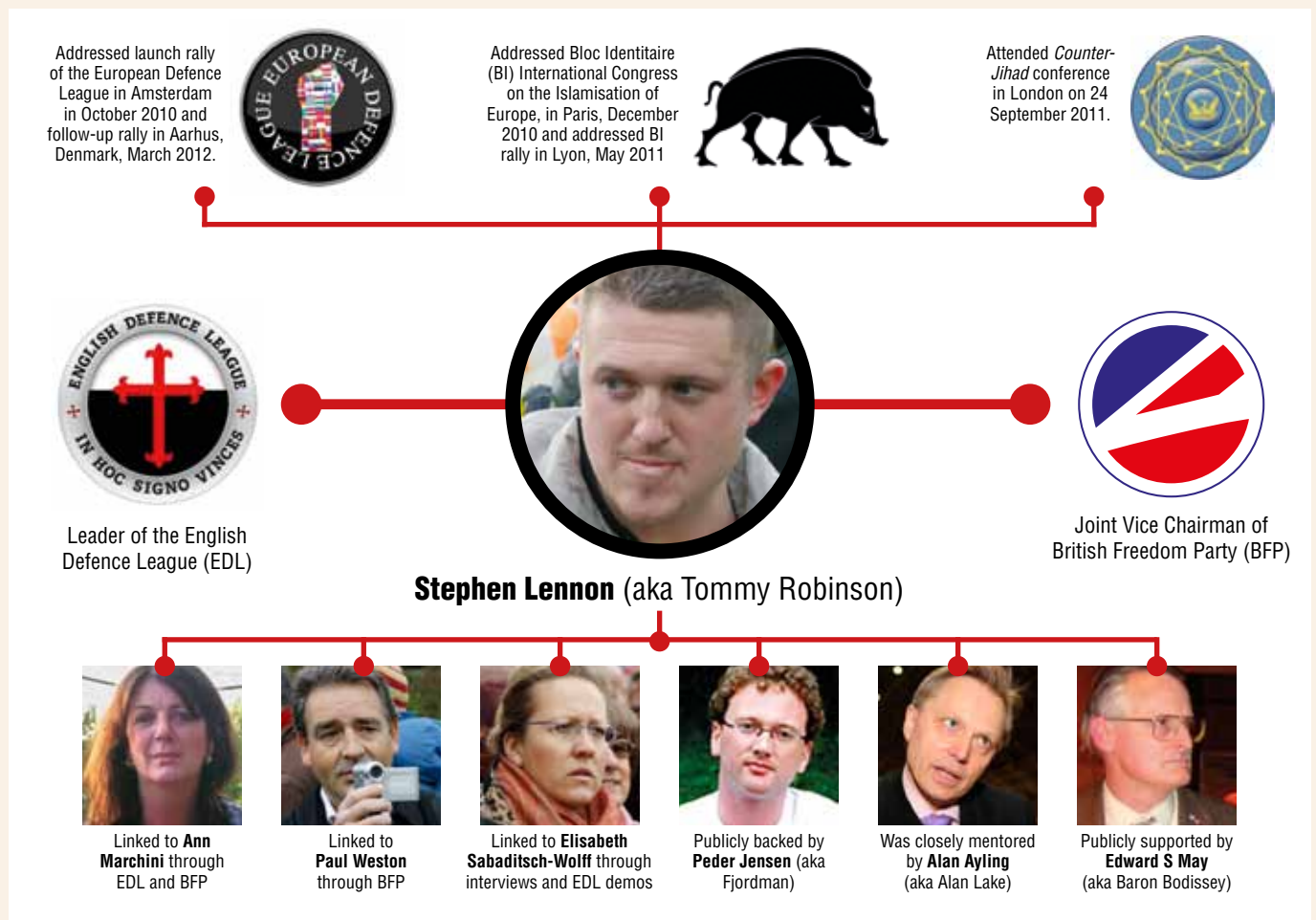
Stephen Lennon joined the far-right British National Party (BNP) in 2004 with a family membership but he allowed it to lapse the following year. In May 2012 he was appointed joint Vice-Chairman of the British Freedom Party (BFP), led by Paul Weston, a former UK Independence Party (UKIP) parliamentary candidate.

In addition to his links to the far-right he has a long array of arrest and convictions to his name. He served 12 months'

imprisonment for actual bodily harm for assaulting an off-duty police officer during a domestic incident in 2004.

During the assault he kicked the police officer in the head. In July 2011 he was convicted for his football hooligan activity after leading a brawl involving 100 football fans. He received a 12-month community rehabilitation order and a three-year ban from football. In November 2011 he was again convicted of assault for headbutting another EDL member at a rally and only just avoided another custodial sentence. Finally, he was arrested in Zurich the same month following a protest on the rooftop of the FIFA headquarters. He was detained for 3 days and fined £3,000.

He is relatively accomplished at media appearances and has fared well during several interviews with Jeremy Paxman on the BBC's current affairs programme *Newsnight*.







## Denmark

### Anders Gravers Pedersen

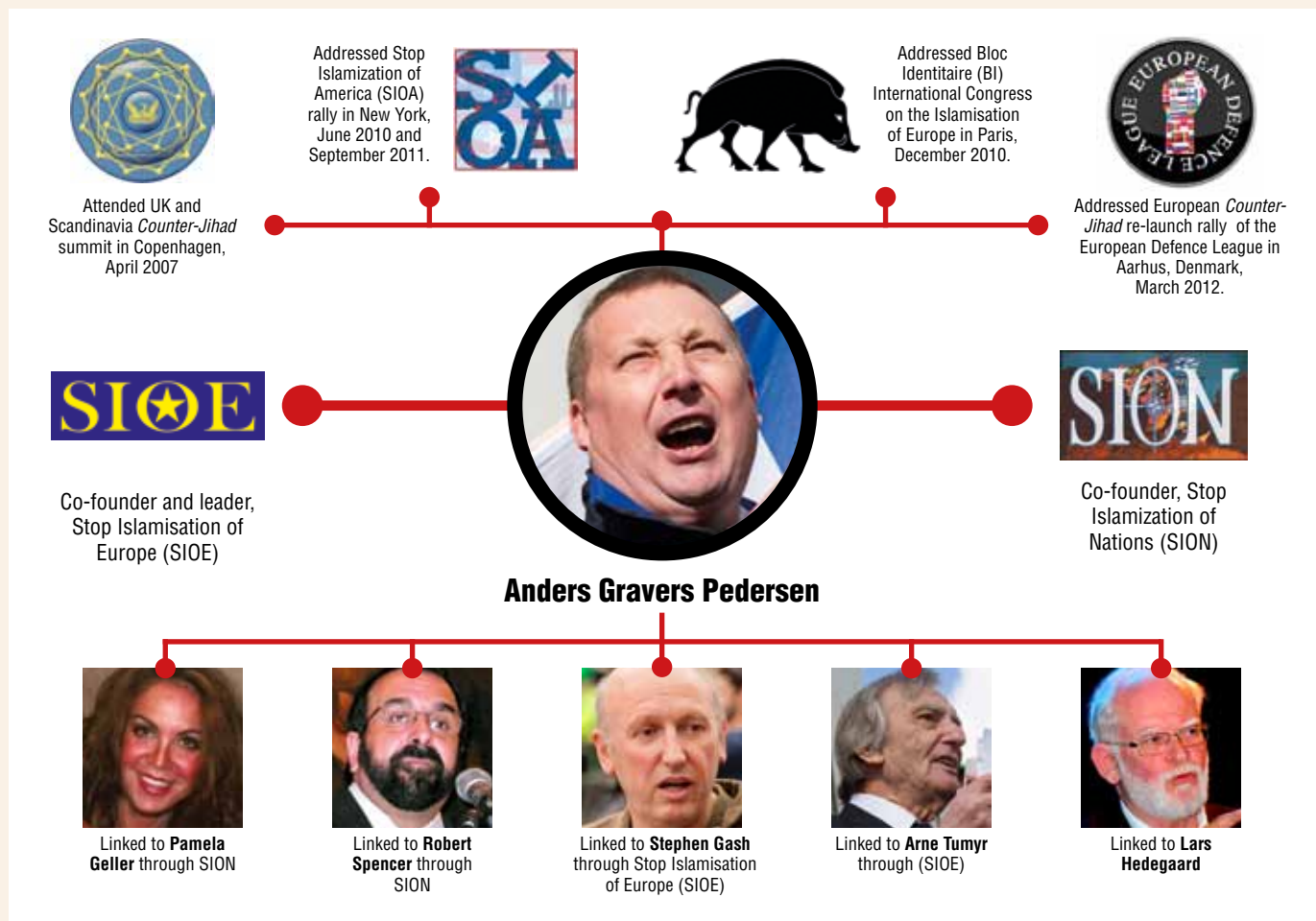
As leader of Stop Islamisation of Europe (SIOE) Anders Gravers Pedersen heads one of the most important Counter-Jihad networks in Europe and can be credited with being the mastermind behind the pan-European Counter-Jihad network.

Anders Gravers Pedersen is a former Danish butcher who resides in North Jutland where he has previously unsuccessfully stood in both municipal and parliamentary elections. He is closely linked with his American counterparts in Stop Islamization of America (SIOA) and has addressed numerous Counter-Jihad meetings on both sides of the Atlantic.

He warns against what he believes is the creeping threat of Islam to Western culture and civilisation. He identifies the

“Salami method slice by slice”<sup>1</sup> and the “dominant behaviour of the Muslims”<sup>2</sup> as the two primary methods being used for the Islamisation of Europe. He claims such tactics have been used in Denmark and Europe for thirty years and have been aided by, “left wing, multicultural appeasers.”<sup>3</sup>

- 1 Anders Gravers Pedersen from SAID Speaks on Jihad and Islam for Freedom Defense Initiative, YouTube, 21/02/2010. Available at: <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=NGgUffUeYs>
- 2 Ibid
- 3 Ibid





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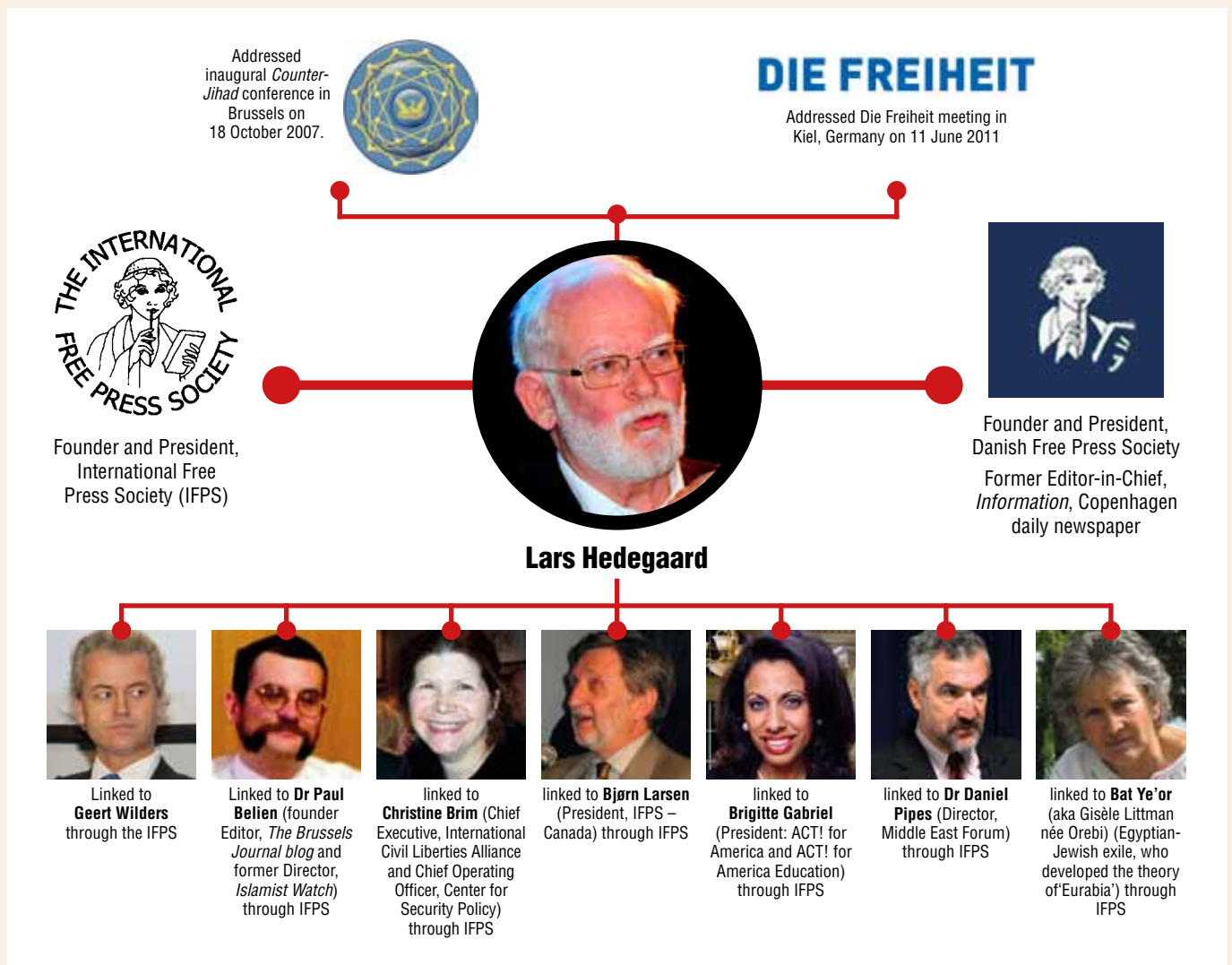
### Lars Hedegaard

Lars Hedegaard is the founder and leader of the International Free Press Society (IFPS), one of the most important international Counter-Jihad networks. He has regularly championed the cause of outspoken Counter-Jihadists such as Dutch politician Geert Wilders. The IFPS is an extension of the Danish-based Free Press Society, which Hedegaard founded in 2004. His organisation presents two yearly awards; The Free Speech Award and the Sappho Award. The Sappho Award is specifically for journalists and winners include the cartoonist Kurt Westergaard who depicted the Prophet Muhammad in 2005 wearing a bomb in his turban.

Hedegaard gave an interview in December 2009 in which he declared that among other things, "girls in Muslim families are

raped by their uncles, their cousins or their dad."<sup>1</sup> The public attorney chose to make a case against him for his comments and he was charged with hate speech under Article 266b of the Danish penal code. In a protracted court battle involving a series of acquittals, appeals and convictions the case went all the way to the Danish Supreme Court where Hedegaard was finally acquitted in April 2012.

1 SHAME ON DENMARK! Lars Hedegaard found guilty of hate speech, (03/05/2011), Available at: <http://www.internationalfreepressociety.org/2011/05/president-of-the-free-press-society-lars-hedegaard-declared-guilty-of-racist-statements/>





## Netherlands

### Geert Wilders

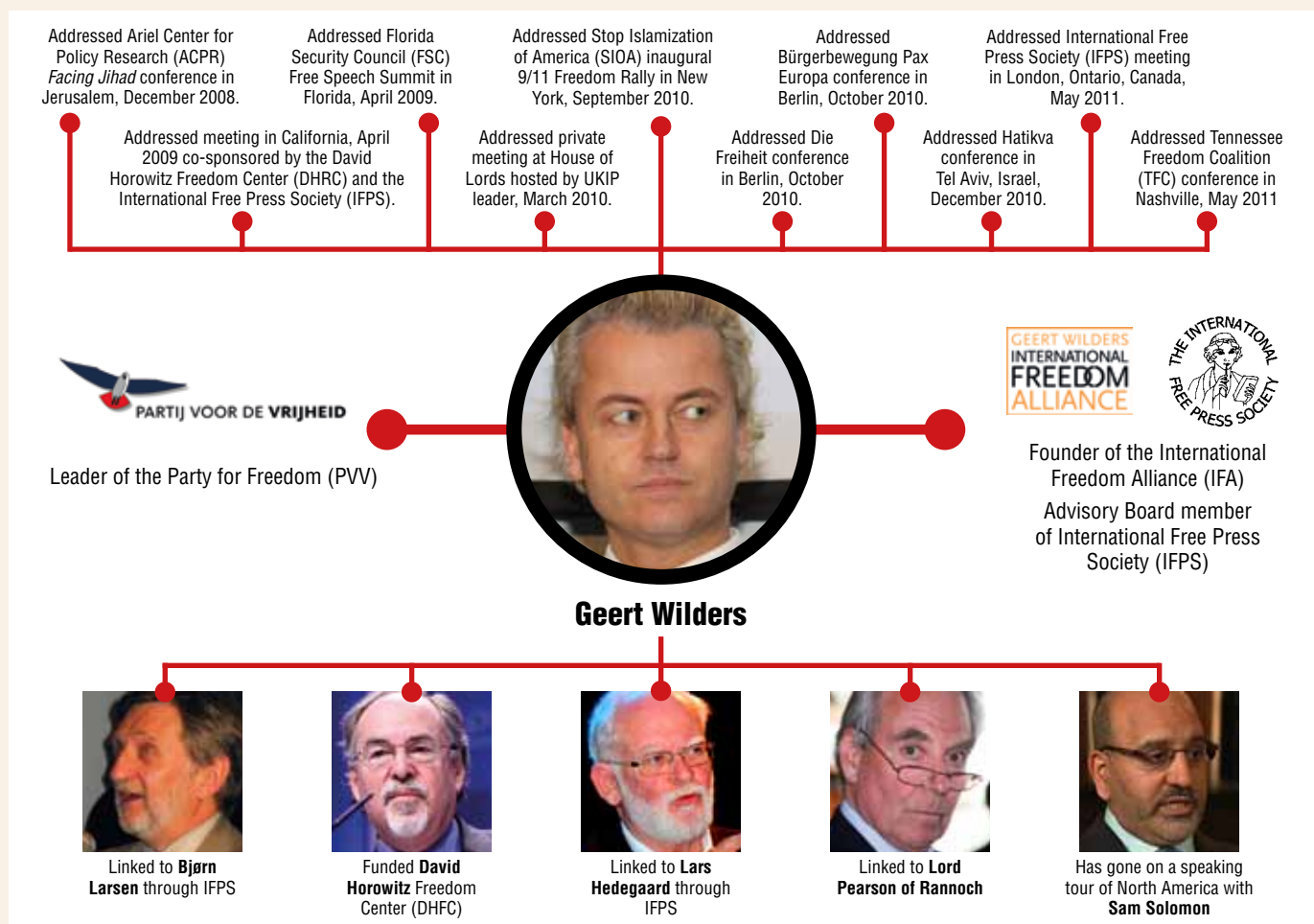
Geert Wilders is founder and leader of the Party for Freedom (PVV), since 2004 ([www.geertwilders.nl](http://www.geertwilders.nl)), the third largest party in the Netherlands. Wilders is the most successful Counter-Jihadist politician in the world. His party had a “supporting arrangement” with the current Dutch minority government but withdrew its support in April 2012. His prominence in Dutch politics has secured his position as the main standard bearer across Europe of the Counter-Jihad networks and he is feted by campaigning organisations in North America.

Wilders’ extreme views are very controversial and have caused widespread offence. He has called Islam the “ideology of a retarded culture”<sup>1</sup> and compared the Koran to Hitler’s *Mein Kampf*, labelling it the ‘fascist Koran’. Despite claiming to be a champion of free speech he has called for the Koran to be banned. In addition, he has called for the rewriting of the Dutch constitution to provide for all immigration from Muslim countries to be halted; paid repatriation of Muslim immigrants; all Muslim ‘criminals’ stripped of Dutch citizenship and deported ‘back where they came from’.

In 2008 Wilders commissioned the making of the controversial film *Fitna* that explored Koranic-inspired acts of terrorism. The film angered Muslims worldwide and triggered an international debate on free speech. In the spring of 2009 he launched the ‘Facing Jihad World Tour’, a series of screenings of *Fitna* to public officials and influential organisations around the world, including the United States Senate. As part of the tour he had planned to show the film in the Palace of Westminster but two days before the showing the then Home Secretary Jacqui Smith banned Wilders from entering the UK, labeling him an ‘undesirable person’.

In 2010 Wilders was charged and prosecuted for criminally insulting religious and ethnic groups and inciting hatred and discrimination. Despite the violent language and hyperbolic tone used by Wilders he was acquitted in June 2011.

1 I don’t hate Muslims. I hate Islam,’ says Holland’s rising political star, (17/02/2008). Available at: <http://www.guardian.co.uk/world/2008/feb/17/netherlands.islam>





## United Kingdom

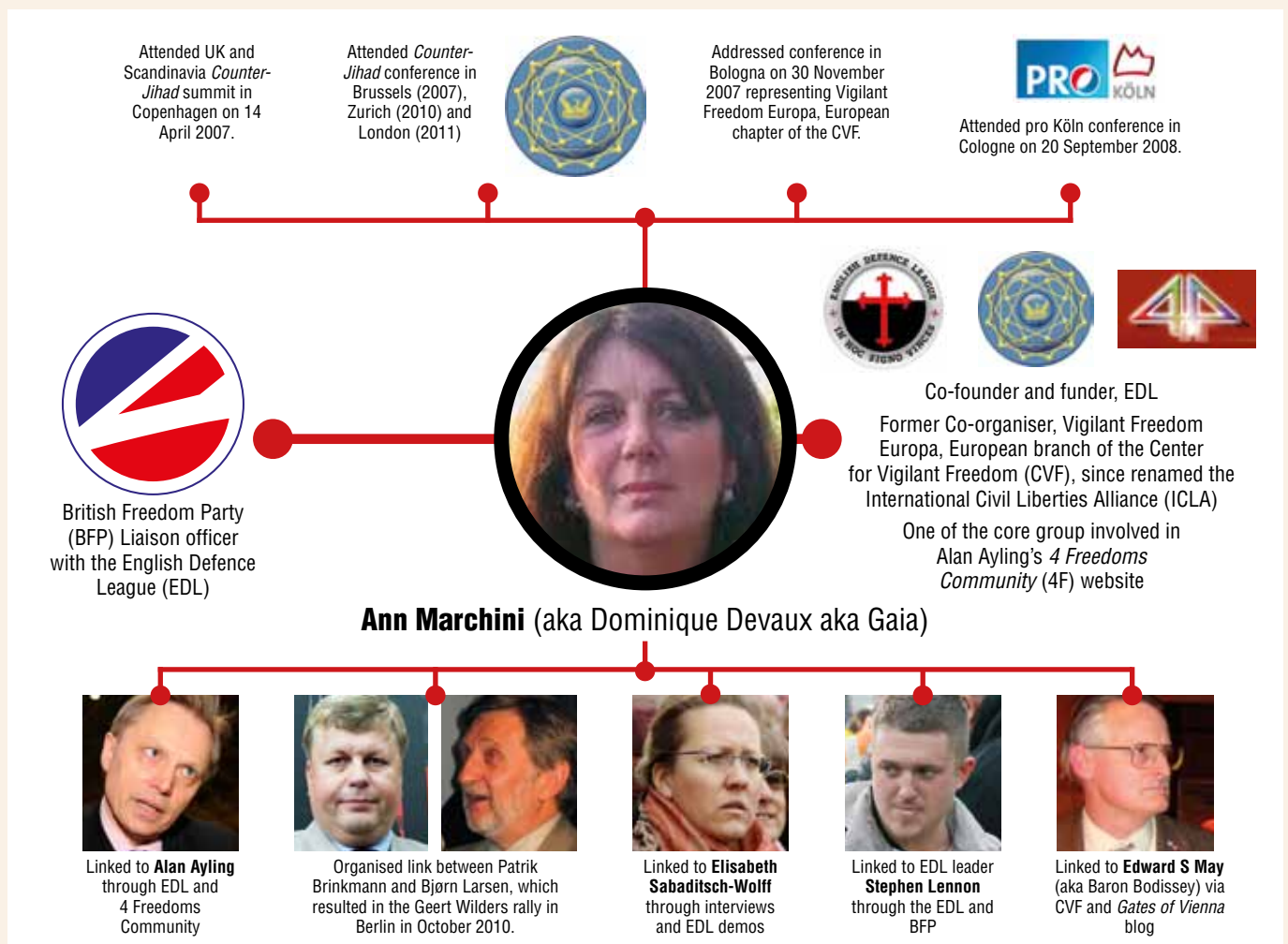
### Ann Marchini (aka Dominique Devaux aka Gaia)

Ann Marchini is one of Britain's leading Counter-Jihadists who attended the founding meeting of the English Defence League (EDL). She is also a crucial link between more respectable Counter-Jihadist funders and politicians in Europe and North America.

Marchini runs a buy-to-let property empire from her home in Highgate, north London. She is closely linked to many major players in Britain's Counter-Jihad movement. As well as having donated to the English Defence League, she was a co-founder of the organisation and has been photographed at demonstrations with its leader Stephen Lennon. In addition she has helped to forge links and alliances between the various Counter-Jihad organisations in Britain and Europe.

She is a personal friend of Paul Weston (Leader of the British Freedom Party) and has been instrumental in helping develop the link between the English Defence League and the BFP. A report by Gaia, one of Marchini's aliases, on the BFP website states that Stephen Lennon, the EDL leader, "explained that the EDL need to move up a notch – they cannot go on forever staging street demos. They are still widely perceived as a rabble, and as such cannot possibly obtain funding or be taken seriously by the political class"<sup>1</sup> It has been her role to help facilitate this move.

1 Unmasked: wealthy backers behind far-right league, Sunday Times, (11/12/2011), Available at: <http://www.hopenothate.org.uk/news/article/2051/unmasked-wealthy-backers-behind-far-right-leaders>







## Norway

### Peder Nøstvold Jensen (aka Fjordman)

Peder Jensen is a Norwegian Counter-Jihadist blogger and arguably the single most important influence on Anders Breivik. He founded the Fjordman blog in February 2005 and has since become one of the most prominent Counter-Jihadist bloggers in Europe, writing regularly for blogs such as *Atlas Shrugs*, *Gates of Vienna*, *Jihad Watch* and *The Brussels Journal*.

Jensen was born in 1975 and has long argued that there is a secret Muslim plot to take over Europe. He articulated this view in his self-published book *Defeating Eurabia*, where he argued that the only way to save Europe was to deport all Muslims. He has been equally hostile to multiculturalism, which he believes is allowing Islam to take hold in society, and once wrote "they rape the natives and destroy the country."

His work was widely read by Anders Breivik and he was quoted 118 times in his manifesto. In an article written just over two months before Breivik's massacre, Jensen wrote about multiculturalism and stated, "We need to make sure, though, that those who have championed the toxic ideas of multiculturalism and mass immigration of alien tribes disappear with it. If that happens, we can give our descendants a fresh start and lay the foundations for a new Renaissance, where European civilisation can flourish once more"<sup>1</sup> Meanwhile, on race-mixing he wrote, "the only way the European civilisation can flourish in the long run, is if we have large territories, specifically reserved for people who are overwhelmingly of European descent."<sup>2</sup>

Despite rhetoric that has marked similarities to the actions of Breivik, he quickly distanced himself from him following the Norway killings in July 2011, dismissing him as a "violent psychopath". However, his criticism of the Norwegian authorities has not diminished. Shortly after the bomb blast in Oslo, Jensen wrote on *Gates of Vienna* that readers should remember that the Norwegian Prime Minister Jens Stoltenberg was as much a

"pathetic sucker for Islam as it is humanly possible to be" and his Government "the most dhimmi appeasing of all Western governments [...] suicidal and cowardly."<sup>3</sup> After the shooting at Utøya he declared the Workers' Youth League (AUF), whose young supporters had been murdered, was a "gang of anti-Israeli, pro- Palestine youth-socialists".

Jensen has also been a strong supporter of the English Defence League (EDL). On 19 July, just three days before Breivik went on his killing spree, Jensen wrote a glowing article about the EDL on its website. He said, "I see brave people, ordinary men and women, who after years of humiliation and degradation are finally sick and tired of having to watch evil groups and organisations from other parts of the world being allowed to colonise their country and destroy their freedom, with barely a peep of protest from the local authorities. [...] The organisation has even inspired similar groups in other parts of Western Europe. I don't know what the EDL will amount to in the future, but right now it represents potential and hope. That's why I support the efforts of the EDL, and that's why you should do so, too"<sup>4</sup>

Jensen finally abandoned his Fjordman pseudonym on 5 August 2011, after coming under much criticism for what many believed to have been his influence over Breivik and eventually moved to Denmark.

1 Preparing for Ragnarok (02/05/2011) Available at: <http://gatesofvienna.blogspot.co.uk/2011/05/preparing-for-ragnarok.html>

2 Ibid

3 In the Wake of Terrorism: Countering Discourses of Ethnic Hatred. (08/09/2011). Available at: <http://blog.nibrinternational.no/#post45>

4 The Noted Blogger Fjordman Discusses the English Defence League, (19/07/2011) Available at: <http://englishdefenceleague.org/the-noted-blogger-fjordman-discusses-the-english-defence-league-2/>

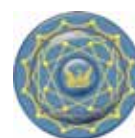


**Peder Jensen**  
(aka Fjordman)

Prolific Counter-Jihadist blogger

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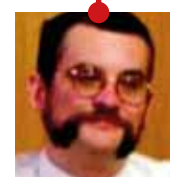
Regular contributor to  
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Contributor to **Pamela**  
**Geller's** *Atlas Shrugs*  
blog



Contributor to **Robert**  
**Spencer's** *Jihad*  
*Watch* blog



Contributor to **Dr Paul**  
**Belien's** *The Brussels*  
*Journal* blog



## USA

### Pamela Geller

American blogger, author and political activist, Pamela Geller is a principal leader of the international Counter-Jihad movement. She co-founded the American Freedom Defence Initiative (AFDI) and Stop Islamization of Nations (SION) and is Executive Director of Stop Islamization of America (SIOA). She was a leading campaigner against the proposed construction of an Islamic community centre in Lower Manhattan, New York labelling it the 'Ground Zero mega mosque'.

A former associate publisher of *The New York Observer*, Geller promotes a conspiratorial anti-Muslim agenda that emphasizes the existence of a concerted Islamic conspiracy to destroy American values. She published *Stop the Islamization of America* in 2011, which she has described as a "practical primer for patriots".

Her views are often controversial and extreme leading to her organisation being labelled a 'hate group' by the Anti-Defamation League (ADL). As well as defending former Serbian president Slobodan Milosevic, she has endorsed the labelling of the massacre of 8,000 Bosnian Muslims as the "Srebrenica Genocide Myth"<sup>1</sup> and claimed that the Muslims were driven by a "desperate Holocaust envy."<sup>2</sup> In 2010 she called the English Defence League EDL "courageous English patriots" and called for people to "support the English Defence League in its efforts to stand for England and the West against the belligerent invaders and Islamic imperialists."<sup>3</sup>

Geller's Stop Islamization of America (SIOA) sponsored inflammatory bus adverts in 2010 encouraging Muslims to leave Islam. Signs such as "Islam = 1,400 years of Aggression, Murder!" are regularly seen at protest events organised by Geller. Despite this extremism her views have been embraced by leading political figures including Newt Gingrich, the former Republican Speaker of the US House of Representatives.<sup>4</sup>

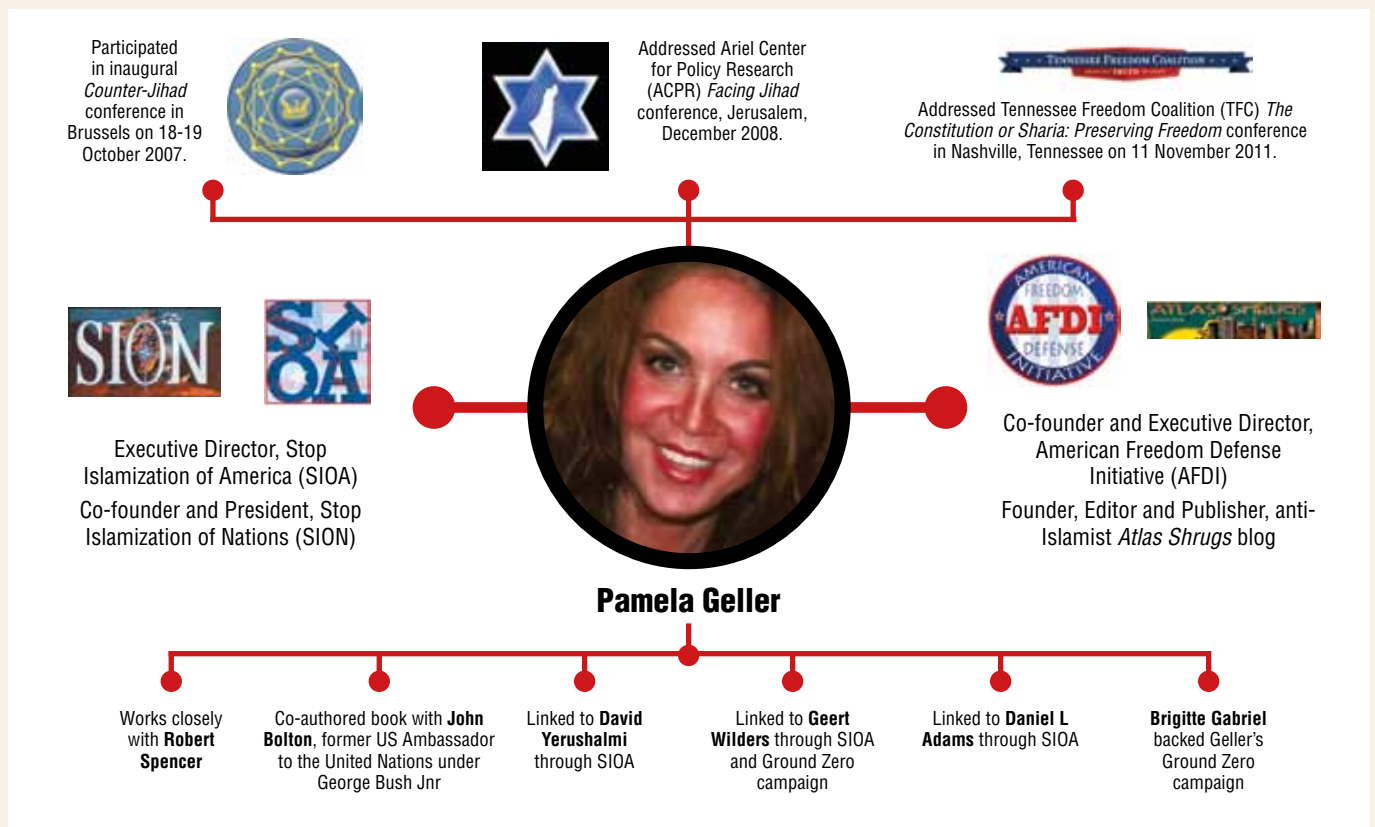
She is a columnist for *American Thinker*, *Human Events* and *WorldNetDaily* and former Associate Publisher, *The New York Observer*, 1989-1994. She was cited 12 times (together with her Atlas Shrugs blog) in Anders Breivik's manifesto.

1 Canadian PM Steven Harper, Leader of the Free World, Vetoes Bosnian Lie Resolution. (11/08/2010) Available at: [http://atlasshrugs2000.typepad.com/atlas\\_shrugs/2010/08/canadian-pm-steven-harper-leader-of-the-free-world-vetoes-bosnian-lie-resolution.html](http://atlasshrugs2000.typepad.com/atlas_shrugs/2010/08/canadian-pm-steven-harper-leader-of-the-free-world-vetoes-bosnian-lie-resolution.html)

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4 The US blogger on a mission to halt 'Islamic takeover' (20/08/2010). Available at: <http://www.guardian.co.uk/world/2010/aug/20/rightwing-blogs-islam-america>







## USA

### Robert Spencer

American blogger and author, Robert Spencer is a principal leader of the international Counter-Jihad movement. He is a close associate of Pamela Geller. Spencer claims to have studied Islamic theology since 1980 and has published 10 books, including The New York Times bestseller *The Truth About Mohammad: Founder of the World's Most Intolerant Religion*. Spencer is one of the most influential and high profile Counter-Jihadists in the world. He has led seminars on Islam and Jihad for the US Army Command and General Staff College, the FBI, and the US intelligence community among others.

Spencer is the founder of *Jihad Watch*, a programme of the David Horowitz Freedom Centre (DHFC), which was cited 162 times by Anders Breivik in his manifesto. With Pamela Geller he is co-founder of the America Freedom Defense Initiative (AFDI) and Executive Director of Stop Islamization of America (SIOA). They share a common conspiratorial belief in a 'stealth jihad' (holy war) being waged against the United States with the aim of subjecting America to Islamic law.

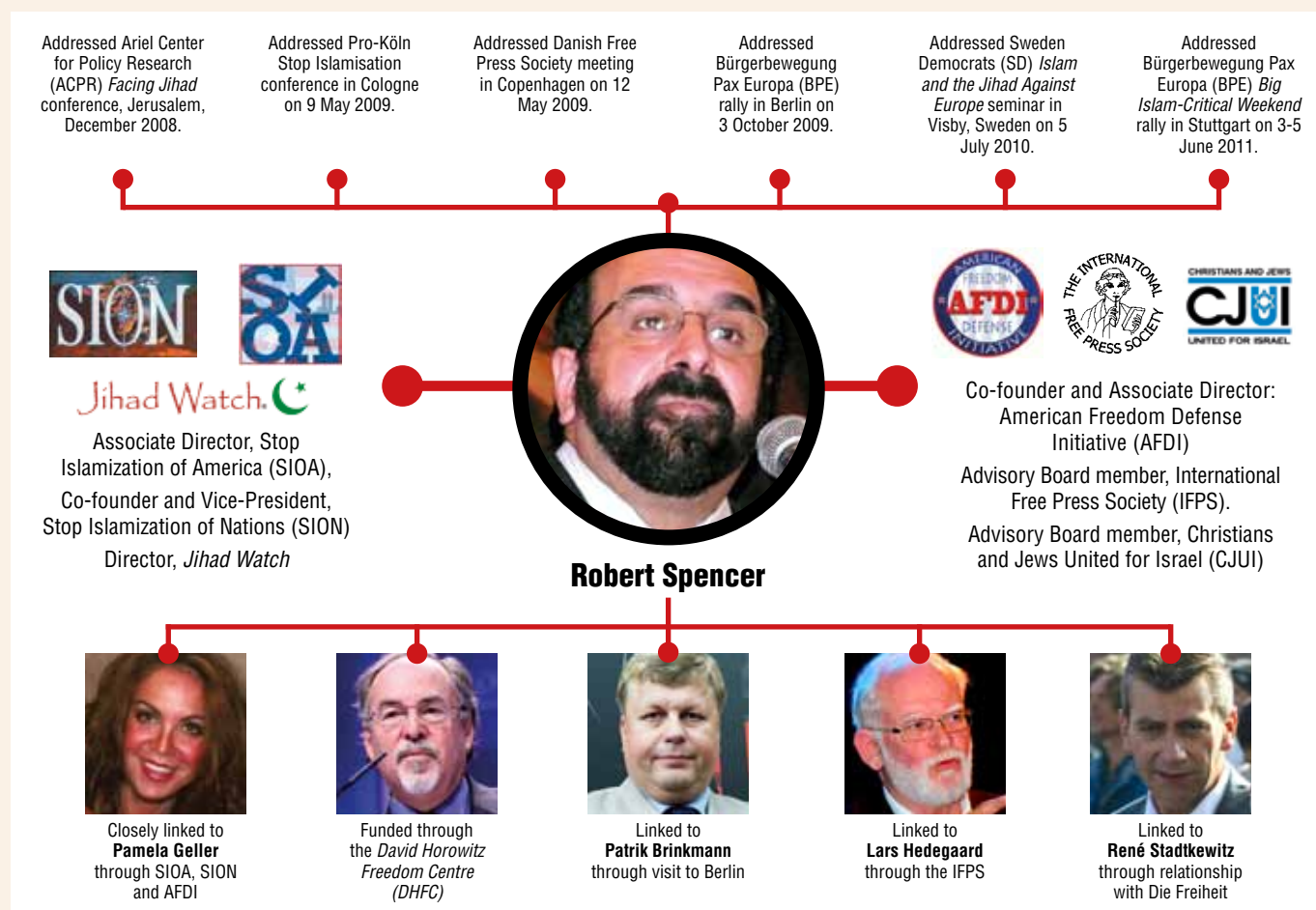
He has popularised his views via a series of controversial but

best selling books such as *Stealth Jihad: How Radical Islam is Subverting America without Guns or Bombs* and *The Politically Incorrect Guide to Islam (and the Crusades)*. Most controversial of all is his recent work *Did Muhammad Exist?* where he asks, "Are jihadists dying for a fiction?"

Spencer has stated that "traditional Islam contains violent and supremacist elements, and that its various schools unanimously teach warfare against and the subjugation of unbelievers."<sup>1</sup> He also voiced his support for the Islamophobic English Defence League (EDL) saying that "The EDL is standing up to violent thugs from both the Left and the increasingly assertive Islamic communities in Britain, and they deserve the support of all free people."<sup>2</sup>

1 Robert Spencer, *The Last Patriot: Worse than Spencer's books!*, (7/07/2008), Available at: <http://www.jihadwatch.org/2008/07/the-last-patriot-worse-than-spencers-books.html>

2 Robert Spencer, UK: Fascist "anti-fascists" attack anti-jihad demonstrators, (21/02/2010), Available at: <http://www.jihadwatch.org/2010/03/uk-fascist-anti-fascists-attack-anti-jihad-demonstrators.html>





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### David Yerushalmi

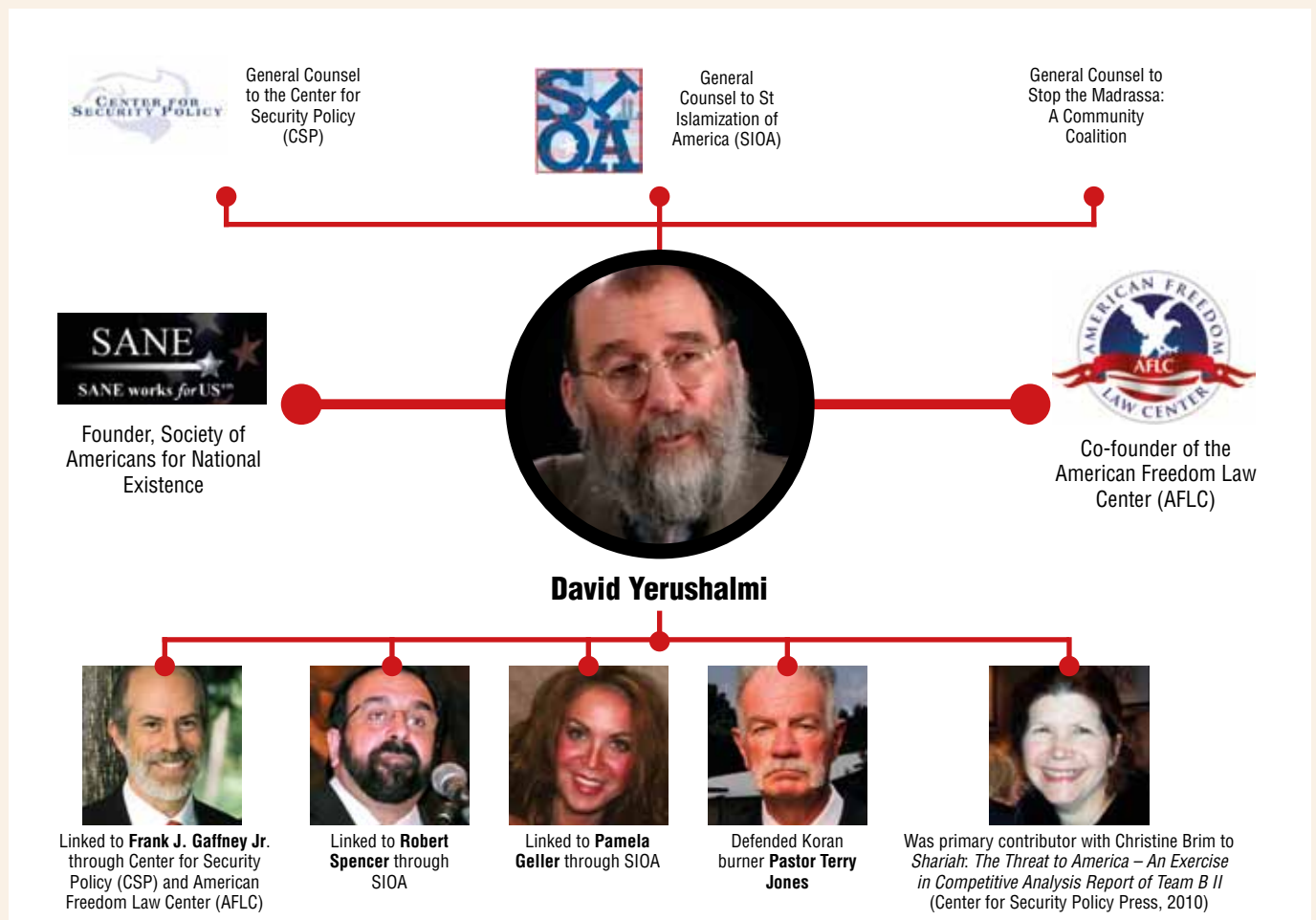
David Yerushalmi is a prominent American lawyer, who has arguably done more than anyone to spread the anti-Muslim agenda at a local level in the United States. He is deeply involved in a plethora of anti-Jihad organisations that have had a significant impact. In 2011 *The New York Times* named Yerushalmi as “The man behind the anti-Shariah movement”, which promotes ‘anti-Sharia’ legislation that has been enacted into law in five US states and introduced in over twenty other state legislatures.

Yerushalmi is founder of the Society of Americans for National Existence (SANE) think-tank; co-founder of the American Freedom Law Center (AFLC); general counsel to the Center for Security Policy (CSP) and co-author of their report *Shariah*:

*The Threat to America*; general counsel to Stop Islamization of America (SIOA) and to Stop the Madrasa: A Community Coalition. He also represents numerous right-wing Christian organisations.

Yerushalmi is also the author of an extremely controversial article in the McAdam Report entitled *On Race*, in which he opens by calling Islam “an evil religion” and “blacks ... the most murderous of peoples.”<sup>1</sup>

1 Yerushalmi, D. (2006), *On Race: A Tentative Discussion*, in The McAdam Report, No.585, p.7





USA

## Christine Brim

As head of the International Civil Liberties Alliance, Christine Brim is arguably the most important networker in the global 'Counter-Jihad' movement. The ICLA, and the conferences it holds, brings together virtually every strand of this international network.

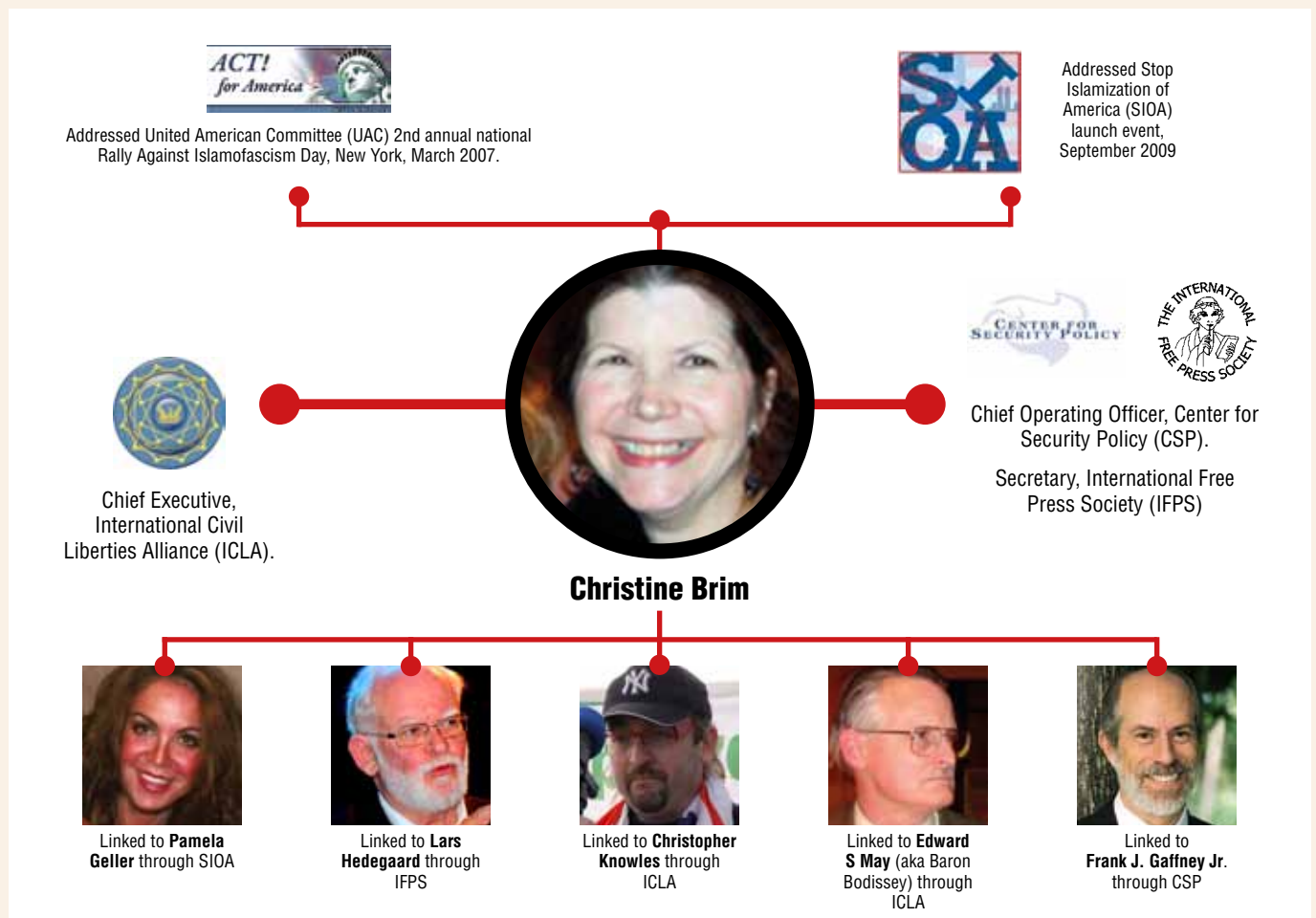
Brim, an IT specialist is Chief Operating Officer at the Center for Security Policy (CSP) and executive director for the Victory Coalition Fund. Before joining the CSP, she was a senior associate at the Lexington Institute and the Center for Vigilant Freedom (CVF) and as executive director of the CVF's forerunner, the 910 group, was directly involved in campaigning against a Muslim community in Red House, Virginia in 2007

The CVF website of the Center for Vigilant Freedom is now defunct but was registered to Brim, at the Envoy Group, a private company that she owns in Fairfax, Virginia. The company's former President Dr Thomas Blau is now Director of National

Security and Process Department at the College of International Security Affairs at the US National Defense University.

As an avid networker, she has even raised the possibility of taking parties like Le Pen's right-wing extremist Front National, and even the nazi British National Party, on board her political chariot if they renounce antisemitism and back Israel. In 2007, Gates of Vienna posted background material compiled by Brim and aimed at opposing Muslim involvement in the US Justice Department First Freedom Project.

Brim who addressed the United American Committee's second "Rally Against Islamofascism Day" at Ground Zero in New York in March 2007 also spoke at a March 2011 rally in New York in support of Peter King, the Republican New York Congressman conducting hearings into radical Islam in the United States. Other speakers there included Helen Freedman, executive director of Americans For a Safe Israel and Tim Brown of Liberty Rocks.





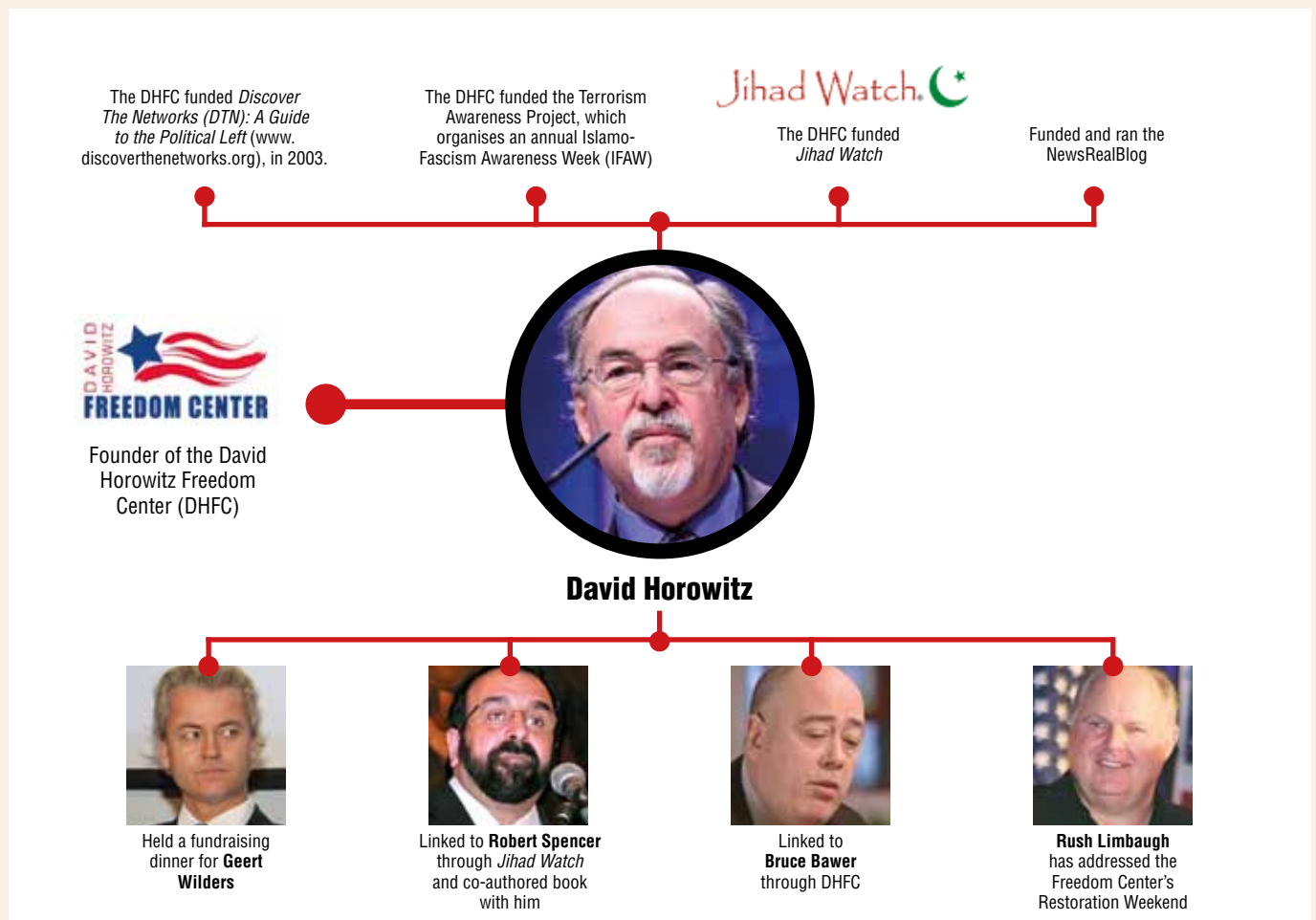
### David Horowitz

David Horowitz was a former New Left radical but is now a leading American conservative commentator with all the zeal of a convert. He is the founder of the David Horowitz Freedom Center (DHFC), a leading think-tank which helps fund and co-ordinate Counter-Jihad activities, including financing *Jihad Watch*. He is probably the most important public funder of the international Counter-Jihad movement.

The DHFC, founded in 1988, claims to combat, “the efforts of the radical left and its Islamist allies to destroy American values and disarm this country as it attempts to defend itself in a time of terror.” In his attempts to assert this he goes further than his conspiratorial colleagues by asserting that Islamic extremists have infiltrated the American school system.

Horowitz is a strong supporter of Israel and has courted controversy by labelling Middle Eastern Muslims “Islamic Nazis” who “want to kill Jews, that’s their agenda.”<sup>1</sup> His views have led him to create an annual Islamo-Fascism Awareness Week (IFAW), which has taken place on hundreds of university and college campuses across the United States since 2007. The DHFC also has two online magazines, *FrontPage Magazine* (FPM) and *Jihad Watch* which hosts articles from a wide range of writers pushing their conspiratorial anti-Muslim agenda.

1 Zoe Zenowich, King hearing come to Flatbush: David Horowitz stokes anti-Muslim sentiment at Brooklyn College. (11/03/2011). Available at: <http://mondoweiss.net/2011/03/peter-king-hearings-come-to-flatbush-david-horowitz-stokes-anti-muslim-sentiment-at-brooklyn-college.html>







## USA

### Brigitte Gabriel (aka Nour Saman)

Brigitte Gabriel is a Lebanese-American commentator, author and journalist, who is regularly heard on CNN, Fox News and MSNBC. She co-founded ACT! for America and founded American Congress for Truth, which campaigns against radical Islam and is probably the largest grassroots Counter-Jihad network in the United States.

Gabriel was born to a Maronite Christian family in Lebanon and as a child was the victim of attacks by Islamist militants during the Lebanese Civil War. She touches on her experience in her best-selling book *Because They Hate: A Survivor of Islamic Terror Warns America*. The book was placed on the FBI Academy reading list and made mandatory reading for Navy SEALs heading to the Middle East. She has also published *They Must Be Stopped: Why We Must Defeat Radical Islam and How We Can Do It* which also quickly became a *New York Times* bestseller.

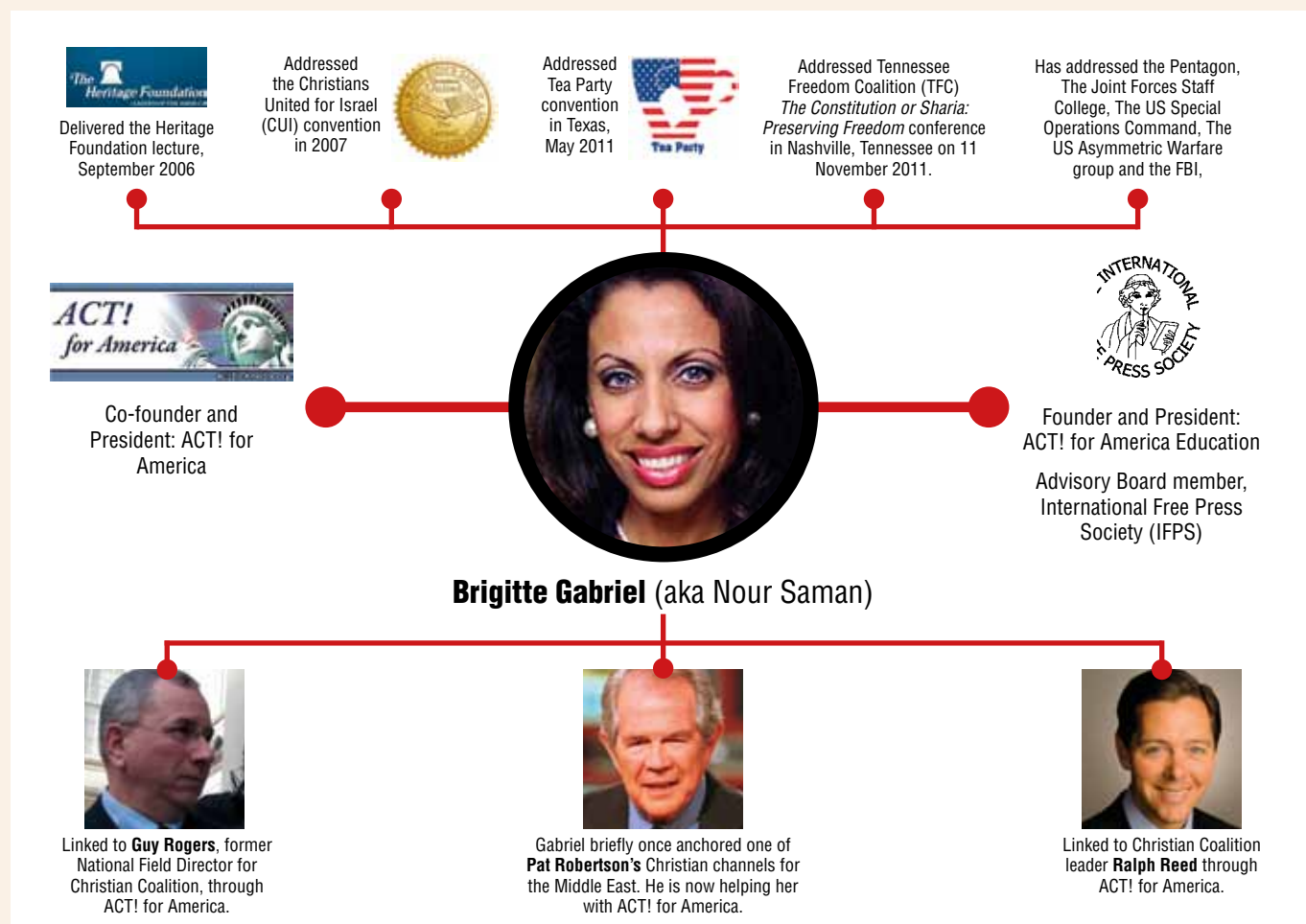
She travels across the United States giving talks about her experiences as a Christian who has first hand experience of

radical Muslim terrorists. Controversially she has asserted that practicing Muslims cannot be loyal to the United States and while addressing a Christians United for Israel (CUI) convention in 2007 she said that Arabs and Muslims, "have no soul."<sup>1</sup> She has been roundly criticised for hate speech and using language that dehumanises Muslims.

As with many in the Counter-Jihad movement Gabriel believes that America and the West are under threat from Islamism which she believes, "threatens to enslave, dominate, and murder us in order to realise its vision for global conquest."<sup>2</sup>

1 Gabriel, Brigitte at CUIF 2007, YouTube, 11/03/2008. Available at: <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=aaocTdWotJ4>

2 Gabriel, Brigitte, *They Must Be Stopped: Why We Must Defeat Radical Islam and How We Can Do It* (St Martin's Press, 2008)



# Country-by-country guide



Stephen Lennon  
(aka Tommy Robinson),  
the leader of the English  
Defence League, in Aarhus,  
Denmark on 31 March 2012  
Photo: David Lagerlöf/Expo







## United Kingdom



### British Freedom Party (BFP)

Founded October 2010 as a breakaway from the British National Party (BNP). The BFP is a populist, nationalist, anti-immigration and anti-Islamist party. The BFP is run by a 12-strong Executive Council (EC). It claims 150 members organised in nearly 30 local groups.

One of the BFP's main policies is opposition to the Islamisation of Britain and Europe.

Representatives of the BFP, including Paul Weston, informally met international Counter-Jihadist activists at the 5<sup>th</sup> annual *Counter-Jihad* conference in London on 24-25 September 2011. The BFP announced on 19 November 2011 that it had agreed to enter into a political alliance with the English Defence League (EDL), enabling the latter to enter electoral politics for the first time.

On 5 May 2012, at an English Defence League demonstration in Luton, EDL leaders Stephen Lennon and Kevin Carroll announced that they were joining the BFP. Among the policies they insisted the BFP adopt were the banning of the burqa, a halt to all new mosque development and the outlawing of all forms of Sharia, including Sharia courts and Sharia finance.

Chairman: **Paul Weston** (former UK Independence Party parliamentary candidate at the 2010 general election), since 2011

Joint-Vice Chairmen: **Stephen Lennon** (leader, English Defence League) and **Kevin Carroll** (deputy leader, English Defence League)

Former Chairman: **Peter Mullins**, 2010-2011

Communications Officer: **Lee Cooper**

Nominations Officer: **Dr George Whale**

Prominent activists: **Simon Bennett**, **Christopher Knowles** (aka **Aeneas Lavinium** and **Aeneas Europa**) (co-founder, English Defence League and European Co-ordinator, International Civil Liberties Alliance) and **Ann Marchini** (co-founder, English Defence League and former European Co-ordinator, International Civil Liberties Alliance)

■ Website: [www.britishfreedom.org](http://www.britishfreedom.org)

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*“Couldn’t care less that #Breivik went radio rental on leftist youths. He knew they would grow up to betray Norway #EDL.”*

**MICHAEL WOOD**

British Freedom Party organiser

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### British National Party (BNP)

Founded in April 1982 through a merger of the New National Front (NNF) and members of other far right organisations, the BNP is a fascist, populist, nationalist, anti-immigration and anti-Islamist party. It is run by a 20-strong Advisory Council (AC). The BNP publishes the monthly *The Voice of Freedom* (February 2000-) newspaper. It claims over 4,000 members.

The BNP began a *Campaign against Islam* in the aftermath of the terrorist attacks on 9/11, characterised as the 'New Crusade for the survival of Western civilisation and an attempt to counter the Islamisation of Britain'. Anti-Muslim rhetoric is now a more common feature within its literature than its traditional and more general anti-immigrant stance.

Founder: **John Tyndall** (Chairman: National Front, 1972-1974 and 1975-1980 and BNP, 1982-1999)

Chairman: **Nick Griffin**, since 1999

■ Website: [www.bnp.org.uk](http://www.bnp.org.uk)







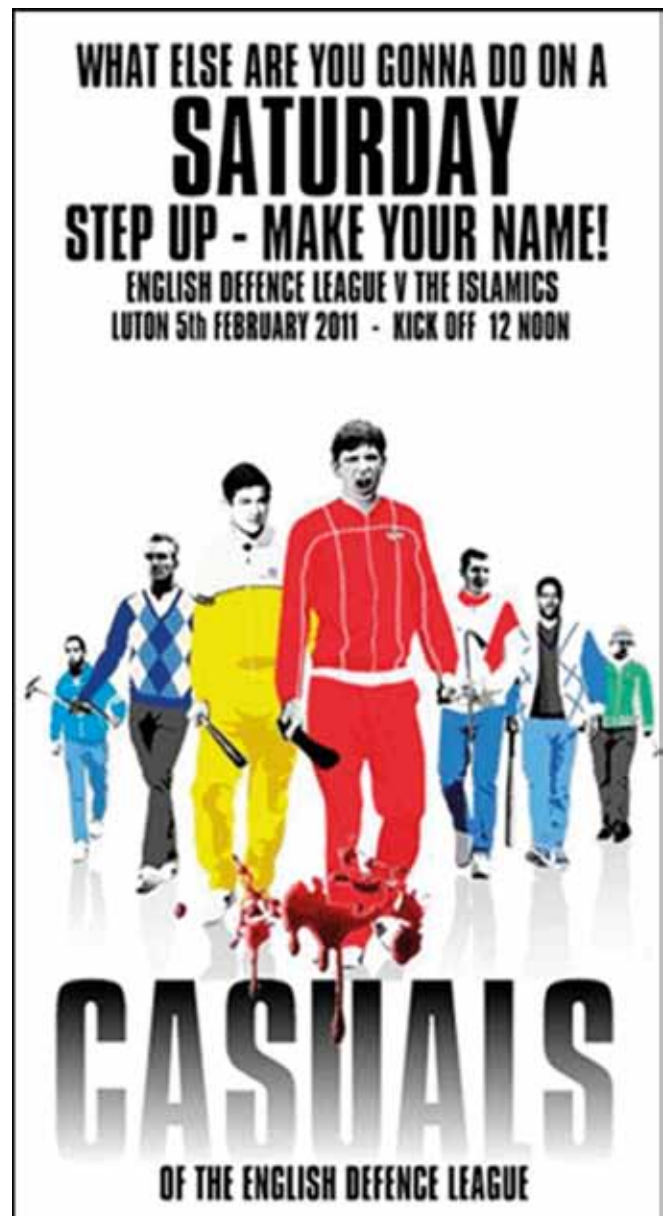
## Casuals United (CU)

Founded May 2009 as a national umbrella network of some 50 football hooligan gangs known as 'Casuals'. CU is affiliated to the English Defence League (EDL) and recruits for the United Defence Leagues: EDL, Scottish Defence League (SDL) and Welsh Defence League (WDL). CU also supports March for England (MFE).

Founder leader: **Jeff Marsh** (founder, Welsh Defence League; a convicted football hooligan who has been jailed three times for violent offences, including a two-year prison sentence in 1989 for stabbing two Manchester United fans; author: *Soul Crew Seaside: The Story of the Barry Seaside Crew*, 2007; *The Trouble with Taffies: Welsh Hooligan Gangs*, 2008 and *From Seaside to Casuals United: The Rise of the Defence Leagues*, 2010)

Prominent activist: **Mickey Smith**

■ Website: [www.casualsunited.wordpress.com](http://www.casualsunited.wordpress.com)  
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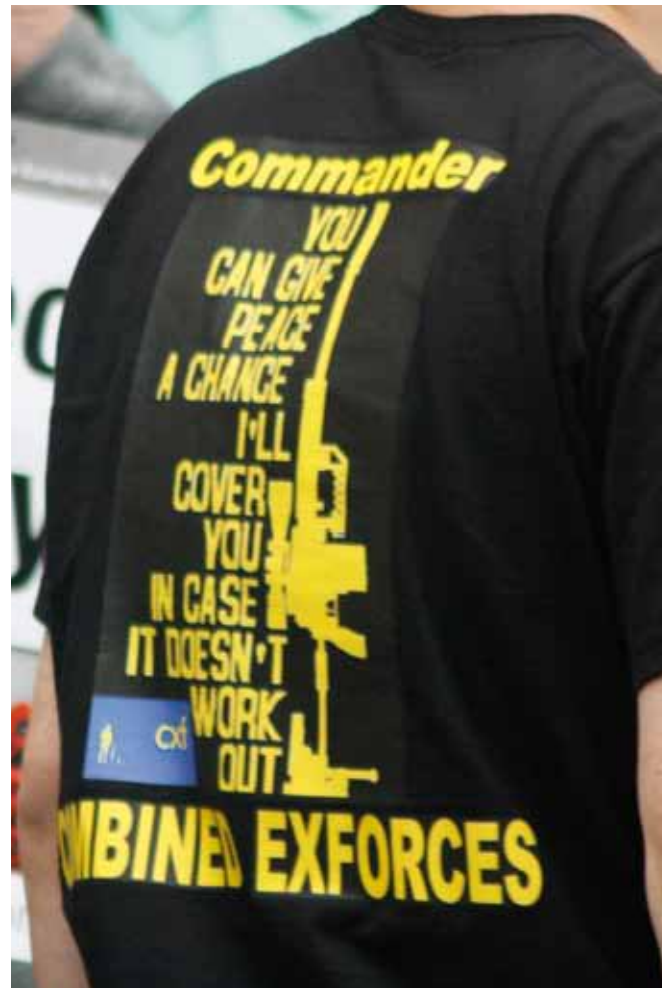
#### Combined Ex-Forces (CXF)

Founded 2011 as a network of former military personnel within the English Defence League (EDL). More hardline and confrontational, the CxX was expelled from the EDL in August 2011 after falling out with the leadership.

A relationship still continues with the EDL rank and file and the CxX have organised demonstrations alongside the EDL and more recently with the North West Infidels (NWI). They organised the protest outside Dewsbury Magistrates court against Azhar Ahmed, who had attacked British soldiers on the Internet. They have also held demonstrations outside Liverpool Crown Court over a court case against nine Asian men from Rochdale who are accused of grooming.

The CxX was created by **Michael Rafferty** but it has since split. Rafferty now leads the Southern-based Combined Ex-Services Intel and Security (CxS) but they are dismissed by most EDL supporters as fantasists. The northern group, still going under the name CxX, is led by **Paul James** (aka **Paul Walsh**). It claims some 30 activists.

■ Website: Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/pages/Combined-Ex-Forces-CXF/295929733803991>



Combined Ex-Forces supporters on an BNP demonstration in London





## England is Ours (EIO)

Founded 2011. The Milton Keynes-based EIO is an English neo-Nazi organisation, which is anti-immigration and anti-Islamist. EIO invited the controversial American Pastor Dr Terry Jones to address a series of anti-Islamist demonstrations in mid-February 2011 following the unsuccessful attempt of the English Defence League (EDL) to invite him to address their own demonstration in Luton on 5 February 2011.

Secretary: **Barry Taylor** (former member, British National Party)

■ Website: [www.englishisours.com](http://www.englishisours.com)



## A plague on all their houses

HOPE not hate speaks out against all extremism. We oppose Islamist extremist groups – such as Al-Muhajiroun and Muslims against Crusades – just as we oppose the English Defence League and the British National Party.

Groups like the English Defence League are a bunch of violent thugs who dislike all Muslims. They attack their mosques, their houses and ordinary Muslims in the street. They claim to be defending Britain against Islamist extremism but all they are doing is stoking up the extremism they claim to oppose.

Islamist extremists are also wrong – both in terms of terrorism but also the society they want to create. They want to suppress the rights of women, of gay people and Christians and Jews too.

Unfortunately, these extremist groups only play into the hands of the other. There is a symbiotic relationship between the two extremes – they need each other to justify their own existence.

You do not fight one form of extremism with another. This only leads to more extremism, division and violence.

In a tolerant democracy neither have a place.

HOPE not hate is committed to bringing communities together around what we have in common. We will campaign against all extremism and we believe in this we are in tune with the vast majority of society.



## English Defence League (EDL)

The English Defence League was founded in the summer of 2009 and soon became an amalgamation of smaller anti-Muslim street groups, such as the **British Citizens Against Muslim Extremists** (founded in 2009) and **Casuals United**. The impetus was the formation in Luton of the United People of Luton (ULP) which was set up by local football hooligans in response to the al-Muhajiroun demonstration against the homecoming parade of the Royal Anglian Regiment. The leaders of the ULP were invited down to London and, during a meeting with Alan Ayling and his friends, the idea of a national organisation emerged.

The English Defence League (EDL) is a racist organisation that engages in direct action demonstrations aimed at the Muslim community. Starting out as a campaign against Islamist extremism, it has now developed into a wider campaign against Islam. Anti-Islam and anti-cohesion in outlook, it had over 90,000 Facebook supporters before Facebook took the site down in the wake of the Breivik killings in 2011. Its new site has 40,000 supporters.

Thus, a loose alliance of people in various social networking websites is increasingly turning into an organisation with a national, regional and local structure. The EDL is a new social movement that is English ultra-nationalist, Counter-Jihadist and street-orientated. It acts as a national umbrella for a range of other organisations and activists and co-ordinates a loose grassroots alliance of hardcore football hooligan 'firms', far-right extremists and alienated and disaffected young white working-class youth, who are opposed to Islamist extremism and Sharia law in Britain. However, of course, many of their actions target all Muslims. The EDL is organised in nearly 100 local and specialist EDL 'Divisions' across Britain, with a network of Regional Organisers (ROs).

Its *modus operandi* is:

■ Threats and intimidation of councils and public bodies undertaking their civic responsibilities to the wider community.

■ "Swarming" and the shutting down of shopping areas and shopping precincts at short notice by way of "Flash Demonstrations" to affect businesses and the commercial interests of communities.

■ The promotion and encouragement of violence and disorder by recruited and organised football hooligan gangs to stretch police and community resources.

■ The forcing of their will, misunderstandings and prejudices upon the wider community.

■ To foster disharmony and exacerbate community tensions and hatreds to leave in their wake explosive tensions between other minority communities and interests.

The EDL has organised over eighty demonstrations in more than fifty towns and cities since July 2009. The EDL has no formal



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membership or publication, but claims 40,000 supporters on its *Facebook* site. The EDL established a network of Regional Organisers (ROs) in July 2010. The EDL has a youth-wing, English Defence Youth (EDY), founded in 2009, which claims 300 members. The EDL has also launched Faith-based Defence Leagues under the Jewish, Hindu and Sikh banners.

EDL demonstrations have been attended by members and former members of the British National Party (BNP), the National Front (NF) and even more extreme organisations such as the British People's Party (BPP), British Freedom Fighters (BFF), Racial Volunteer Force (RVF), Blood & Honour (B&H) and Combat 18 (C18).

The EDL announced at a meeting of Regional Organisers (ROs) and activists in the West Midlands on 19 November 2011 that it had agreed to enter into a political alliance with the British Freedom Party (BFP), to enable it to enter electoral politics for the first time, though many of its supporters have not been happy with this. In May 2012 EDL leader **Stephen Lennon** and his deputy, **Kevin Carroll**, became joint Vice-Chairmen of the British Freedom Party.

The EDL has developed an international strategy and networks. It has established links with like-minded Counter-Jihadist organisations in mainland Europe and North America, including neo-conservative organisations and the anti-Islamist wing of the Tea Party movement in the United States. Two EDL representatives attended the 4<sup>th</sup> annual *Counter-Jihad*

conference in Zurich on 12-13 June 2010. Seven EDL activists, including **Kevin Carroll**, attended the Stop Islamization of America (SIOA) rally in New York on 11 September 2010 against the proposed Park 51 Islamic community centre near 'Ground Zero'. Other EDL activists attended a pro-Geert Wilders European Freedom Initiative (EFI) demonstration in Amsterdam on 30 October 2010. The EDL co-ordinated the re-launch of the European Defence League at a European Counter-Jihad rally in Aarhus, Denmark on 31 March 2012.

The EDL is run by a 15-strong inner Committee.

EDL co-founders include:

Co-founder and leader: **Stephen Lennon** (aka **Tommy Robinson**) (founder: UPL and EWDL; Joint Vice-Chairman, British Freedom Party; former BNP member, 2004-2005 who served 12 months' imprisonment for actual bodily harm for assaulting an off-duty police officer during a domestic incident in 2004 and who was convicted of assault in November 2011 for headbutting another EDL activist at a rally.

Co-founder: **Kevin Carroll** (cousin of Stephen Lennon and Joint Vice-Chairman, British Freedom Party)

Co-founder: **Alan Ayling** (aka **Alan Lake**) (millionaire businessman and IT consultant; Christian evangelical; founder, *4 Freedoms Community* ([www.4freedoms.ning.com](http://www.4freedoms.ning.com)) blog; EDL's principal strategist and funder, 2009-2011, and who has been described as the mastermind behind the EDL)





Co-founder: **Paul Ray** (co-founder, EDDL; founder, EDL St. George's STG Division, in 2009 and founder, *Lionheart* ([www.lionheartuk.blogspot.com](http://www.lionheartuk.blogspot.com)) blog, since 2007)

Co-founder: **Christopher Knowles** (aka **Aeneas Lavinium** and **Aeneas Europa**) (activist, British Freedom Party; Counter-Jihadist blogger since 2006; European Co-ordinator, International Civil Liberties Alliance and former co-organiser, Vigilant Freedom Europa, European branch of the Center for Vigilant Freedom, since renamed the ICLA)

Co-founder: **Ann Marchini** (activist, British Freedom Party and former European Co-ordinator, CVF/ICLA)

Co-founder: **Jerry Watson**

Prominent activists:

**Trevor Kelway** (Portsmouth-based, EDL Spokesperson)

**Leon McCreery** (EDL Head of Security/Deputy National Organiser)

**Roberta Moore** (Brazilian-born Jewish activist; founder and former leader, EDL Jewish division, 2010-2011, when she fell out with the EDL)

**Steve Simmons** (aka **Chris Redmond**) (founder and Organiser, European Freedom Initiative and former Head of Media, EDL)

**Alan Spence** (North East Regional Organiser and former BNP member)

**Guramit (Amit) Singh** (British-born Sikh and EDL Community Relations Spokesperson)

- Website: [www.englishdefenceleague.org](http://www.englishdefenceleague.org)
- EDL Extra: [www.theenglishdefenceleagueextra.blogspot.co.uk](http://www.theenglishdefenceleagueextra.blogspot.co.uk)
- EDL Forums: [www.s1.zetaboards.com/edl\\_the\\_forum/index](http://www.s1.zetaboards.com/edl_the_forum/index)

## Scottish Defence League (SDL)

Founded September 2009 as a sister organisation of the EDL, by amongst others, the hooligan Inter-City Firm (ICF) attached to Glasgow Rangers FC. The SDL joined the breakaway Infidels of Britain coalition on 2 April 2011. The SDL claims 30-50 activists.

Prominent activist: **Sean Graham**

## Welsh Defence League (WDL) (aka Cymru Defence League)

Founded early 2009 by **Jeff Marsh** (founder, Casuals United and a convicted football hooligan) as a precursor of the EDL. The WDL held a few poorly attended demonstrations in Wales but now appears defunct.

## Infidels of Britain

Founded 2 April 2011 as a breakaway from the English Defence League (EDL). The Infidels are a non-party umbrella coalition of far-right nationalists, patriots and Loyalists from across the UK represented in the following four organisations: North East Infidels (NEI), North West Infidels (NWI) and the Scottish Defence League (SDL). The Infidels of Ulster affiliated to the coalition in January 2012. The Infidels are a Counter-Jihadist street movement, opposed to multiculturalism. They are anti-immigration and advocate the repatriation of all immigrants to their countries of origin. The main Infidel strongholds are in the North East and the North West of England.

The Infidels rose from a fallout initially between **John 'Snowy' Shaw** and the EDL leadership over finances. Shaw was booted out of the EDL following the Bradford demonstration in August 2010 and the split deepened after a violent clash between the North East and Luton EDL at an EDL demonstration in Blackburn in April 2011. The Infidels have become far more extreme than their EDL cousins, linking up with the National Front (NF) and the openly nazi British People's Party. Shaw has also pushed the Infidels down a pro-Ulster Loyalist and anti-Zionist route.

- Website: [www.infidelsofbritain.net](http://www.infidelsofbritain.net) and
- Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/pages/Infidels-of-Britain/187348028026321>





## United Kingdom



### English Nationalist Alliance (ENA)

Founded May 2010. The ENA is an English nationalist organisation. It campaigns for the establishment of an English Parliament. The ENA organised a *Citizens Against Sharia Law* march in central London on 31 July 2010, which was supported by several other English nationalist organisations including the English Defence League (EDL), English Shieldwall (ES) and March for England (MFE). It organised two other anti-Islamist marches in central London that year: on 22 May 2010 and on 11 December 2010.

Co-founder and Leader: **Bill Baker** (former member, English Democrat Party), since 2010

■ Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/pages/English-Nationalist-Alliance/170875669635671>



### English Shieldwall (ES)

Founded February 2010. The non-party ES is a shadowy ethnic English nationalist campaigning organisation. It campaigns for independence for England and the establishment of an English Parliament. ES is anti-immigration and anti-Islamist. It works closely with the Steadfast Trust (ST), an ethnic English charity. ES activists regularly attend English Defence League (EDL) demonstrations. It has a decentralised structure comprising several local branches across England. It publishes *The English Shieldwall* (Spring 2010-) quarterly newsletter.

Prominent activist: **Neil Hodgkiss**

■ Website: [www.englishshieldwall.org](http://www.englishshieldwall.org)

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*"There isn't ever reason to kill  
innocent civilians ...  
They were not innocent."*

EDL supporter **ROBERTA MOORE** on Anders Breivik murdering 77 young people on Utoya on 22 July 2011

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### 4 Freedoms Community (4F)

Founded in 2009 by Alan Ayling (aka Alan Lake) as an anti-Islamist blog and network. Lake issued a manifesto in September 2009 based on four fundamental freedoms that Western civilisation must defend: free speech, democracy, equality in law and cultural tolerance. 4F has links with Casuals United, English Defence League (EDL), Scottish Defence League (SDL), Welsh Defence League (WDL), March for England (MFE), SIOE - England, United British Alliance (UBA), International Free Press Society (IFPS), ACT! for America, American Freedom Defense Initiative (AFDI) and Stop Islamization of America (SIOA).

Founder: **Alan Ayling** (aka **Alan Lake**) (millionaire businessman and IT consultant and former principal strategist and funder of the English Defence League)

Technical support: provided by '**Kinana Nadir**' (EDL activist).

■ Website: [www.4freedoms.ning.com](http://www.4freedoms.ning.com)



### March for England (MFE)

Founded 18 February 2007 originally as March for the Flag by two fans of Tottenham Hotspur FC. It was renamed March for England (MFE) in November 2007. The Portsmouth-based MFE is a non-party, English nationalist grassroots campaigning organisation. It is anti-immigration and anti-Islamist. MFE has organised an annual St. George's Day march in Brighton since April 2008. MFE activists attended a Stop Islamisation of Europe (SIOE) *No Sharia Here!* demonstration outside Lambeth Palace, London on 11 September 2008. MFE has close links with the English Defence League (EDL) and its activists regularly attend southern-based EDL demonstrations. It advertises EDL events on its website. MFE is run by a 12-strong committee. It claims 50-100 activists.

Leader: **Dave Smeeton**

■ Website: [www.marchforengland.weebly.com](http://www.marchforengland.weebly.com)

■ Facebook: [www.facebook.com/pages/march-for-england/172540236682](https://www.facebook.com/pages/march-for-england/172540236682)





## Stop Islamisation of Europe (SIOE) England

Founded November 2007 as the successor to No Sharia Here (NSH) (England). SIOE England is a non-party, anti-Islamist organisation which campaigns against Sharia law and the Islamisation of England. It is affiliated to the pan-European Stop Islamisation of Europe (SIOE) network. NSH co-organised a *No Sharia Here!* demonstration in central London on 26 October 2007. SIOE England co-organised a SIOE anti-Sharia law demonstration outside Lambeth Palace, London on 11 September 2008 and demonstrations against the proposed construction of the Harrow Central Mosque on 11 September 2009 and 13 December 2009.

Founder and former Organiser: **Stephen Gash** (co-founder, Stop Islamisation of Europe and former National Council member, English Democrats Party), 2007-2010

Prominent activist: **Magnus Nielsen** (UKIP activist and close friend of Alan Ayling)

■ Website: [www.sioeengland.wordpress.com](http://www.sioeengland.wordpress.com) and *England Anti-Jihad: No Sharia Here* [www.sioeengland.blogspot.com](http://www.sioeengland.blogspot.com) blog

*“Western values, freedom of speech, democracy and rights for women are incompatible with Islam, which is a cancer eating away at our freedoms and our democracy and rights for our women and something needs to be done about it. We urgently need global chemotherapy against Islam to save civilisation.”*

**NICK GRIFFIN**, BNP leader

## United British Alliance (UBA)

Founded 2004. The UBA is a British nationalist grassroots organisation which campaigns against Sharia law and the Islamisation of Britain. It attracts support from various football hooligan ‘firms’. UBA activists attended a Stop Islamisation of Europe (SIOE) *No Sharia Here!* demonstration outside Lambeth Palace, London on 11 September 2008.

■ Website: <http://uba.awardspace.co.uk> and [www.freewebs.com/the-uba](http://www.freewebs.com/the-uba)

### Dangerous Liaisons

The British tabloid, the *Daily Star*, came dangerously close to publicly endorsing the English Defence League (EDL) in 2010 and 2011.

In a series of highly favourable reports, it talked up the EDL, played down its racism and even wrote sympathetic editorials.

In February 2011, the newspaper ran a front page story with the headline: “English Defence League to become a political party”. The following day, after it ran an online poll, the paper reported that 99% of its readers would back such a move.

This would all be dangerous enough as a simple news article but it appeared that the *Daily Star* actually created its own story. A bemused EDL leadership quickly took to the Internet to deny any plans to become a political party and that the journalists had either misunderstood them or created the story for its own ends.

There was a furious backlash against the *Daily Star*, with their proprietor even being contacted by his peers. The *Daily Star* was forced to backtrack, claiming that they had not been aware of the true nature of the organisation. It has since written several unfavourable articles about the group, particularly in the wake of Anders Behring Breivik’s killing spree.





## United Kingdom



### Ruby Akhtar

Pakistan-born, UK-based, Christian activist in the British Pakistani Christian Association (BPCA), which has held demonstrations addressed by Stephen Green of Christian Voice (CV) and Andrea Williams of Christian Concern (CC). Akhtar is Head of the Pakistani Christian division of the English Defence League (EDL) and attended the EDL

demonstration in Luton in the company of Alan Ayling.

In an online survey to its followers, Akhtar suggested that 38 Degrees should support an e-petition to Downing Street to “help the UN understand WHO the enemy actually is and ask their help in stopping the spread of Islamic murders worldwide.” This petition was being circulated by Alan Ayling’s *4 Freedoms Community* website.

- Member, UK Independence Party (UKIP), since 2011.
- Former member, British National Party (BNP), 2010-2011.
- Former Christian Party parliamentary candidate at the 2010 general election.
- Convicted at Southwark Crown Court on 28 June 2010 of illegally providing immigration advice.

[www.britishpakistanichristian.blogspot.co.uk](http://www.britishpakistanichristian.blogspot.co.uk)



Ruby Akhtar  
(right) with  
Roberta Moore  
& Stephen  
Lennon



### Alan Ayling (aka Alan Lake)

Millionaire businessman and IT consultant; Christian evangelical and former city investment fund manager.

Co-founder, former principal strategist and funder, English Defence League (EDL), 2009-2011. The meeting that set up the EDL occurred at his central London flat.

Had previously been involved in the Free Tibet Movement but became disillusioned with that and turned to Christianity. He attended the Kensington Temple, in Notting Hill, West London, a large Pentecostal Church, run by Reverend Colin Dye. It was here that he met African Christians whose stories persuaded him to focus on the threat of Islam.

He was initially involved with March for England (MFE) but turned his attention to the United People of Luton (UPL) in May 2009. Through an intermediary, contact was made with UPL and a meeting was arranged in Ayling’s flat in London at which the EDL was born.

He spoke admiringly of the EDL and his hopes for the group when he addressed a Sweden Democrats (SD) conference in Malmö on 6 September 2009. He has admitted to a Norwegian newspaper that he helped organise six EDL demonstrations. Interviewed on Norwegian TV2 channel in April 2010 he advocated executing people who believed in Sharia law.

Attended the 3<sup>rd</sup> annual *Counter-Jihad* conference in Copenhagen on 16-17 May 2009 where he met Peder Nøstvold Jensen (aka *Fjordman*), the Norwegian Counter-Jihadist blogger.

In May 2010, Ayling posted on his *4 Freedoms Community* website an article outlining his belief that “in 20 or 30 years the UK will start to fragment into Islamic enclaves”. He went on: “It’s time we decide... who we will force in the Islamic enclaves (and who we will execute if they sneak out.) By forcing these liberal twits into those enclaves, we will be sending them to their death at worst, and at best they and their families will be subjected to all the depredations, persecution and abuse that non-Muslims worldwide currently ‘enjoy’ in countries like Pakistan... It will be great to see them executed or tortured to death.”

Following the Norwegian killings, Ayling said that “the chickens have come home to roost.”

Ayling’s extreme views, and more specifically the media attention he received, proved to be an embarrassment to Stephen Lennon, who broke any public links. Ayling remains in contact with many EDL and former EDL activists but he no longer has the same influence on the leadership.



## Gerard Batten MEP

Co-founder, UK Independence Party (UKIP), in 1993 and UKIP MEP since 2004.

- UKIP Spokesman on Immigration and Islamism, since 2010. ([www.gerardbattenmep.co.uk](http://www.gerardbattenmep.co.uk))

- Activist, Stop Islamisation of Europe (SIOE), since 2007.

- Member, The Freedom Association

(TFA) and former Columnist, *Freedom Today* magazine, 2004-2009.

- Launched *A Proposed Charter of Muslim Understanding* at the European Parliament in Strasbourg on 13 December 2006 and at the House of Lords in London on 29 April 2007.

- Addressed inaugural *Counter-Jihad* conference in Brussels on 18 October 2007. He was helped in producing his *Charter* by **Sam Solomon**.

- Invited **Geert Wilders** to the European Parliament in December 2008 to screen his film *Fitna* to an invited audience of MEPs. The event was subsequently prevented from taking place by the Parliamentary authorities.

- Met Counter-Jihadist activists from across the world attending the 5th annual *Counter-Jihad* conference in London on 25 September 2011.

Author: *Immigration: Action Overdue!* (UKIP, March 2010)



## Kevin Carroll

Cousin of EDL leader Stephen Lennon, Luton-based Carroll is effectively deputy leader of the EDL. Carroll, who describes himself as a carpenter, signed the nomination papers of a British National Party (BNP) candidate with a well-documented nazi past in 2007.

- A regular speaker at EDL events, Carroll was at the heart of the creation of the EDL.

- Joint Vice-Chairman of the British Freedom Party (BFP).

- Attended Stop Islamization of America (SIOA) inaugural 9/11 Freedom Rally in New York on 11 September 2010.

- Attended 5th annual *Counter-Jihad* conference in London on 24 September 2011.

- Attended European Counter-Jihad re-launch rally of the European Defence League in Aarhus on 31 March 2012, where he heralded the occasion by smashing the glass front door of the city's library at 3.50pm when some counter-demonstrators were closing in 60 metres away.



## Baroness (Caroline) Cox of Queensbury

A cross-bench member of the House of Lords, Baroness Cox was once a Conservative but the whip was withdrawn in 2004 after she publicly backed the UK Independence Party (UKIP). She has campaigned on a wide range of humanitarian and Christian causes and has been

involved in several anti-trade union and right-wing campaigns.

In a speech in the House of Lords Baroness Cox declared: "The threat of a militant and totalitarian form of Islam poses the greatest threat to our cultures today, and Israel is standing at the front-lines of this struggle against militant Islam which would destroy the values of our societies."

- Chairman, Executive Board, International Islamic Christian Organisation for Reconciliation and Reconstruction (IICORR).

- Council member and former Management Committee member, The Freedom Association (TFA), since the 1990s.

- Advisory Council member, Social Affairs Unit (SAU).

- Co-President, Jerusalem Summit (JS), since 2005.

- Co-founder, Committee for a Free Britain (CFB), in 1987.

- Former International President, Christian Solidarity Worldwide (CSW).

- Addressed Stop Islamisation of Europe (SIOE) demonstration outside Lambeth Palace, London on 11 September 2008.

- Twice invited Geert Wilders (Leader, Dutch Party for Freedom) to the House of Lords in London to screen his anti-Islamist film *Fitna*, originally on 12 February 2009 when Wilders was banned from entering the UK and then successfully on 5 March 2010 after the ban had been lifted.

Co-author: *The West, Islam and Islamism: Is Ideological Islam Compatible with Liberal Democracy?* (Civitas, 2003 and 2<sup>nd</sup> edition, 2006) *Islam, Islamism and the West* (American Foreign Policy Council, 2005)







## United Kingdom



### Paul Diamond

A close associate of UKIP MEP Gerard Batten, Diamond is a fundamentalist Christian who works as a barrister specialising in “religious liberty”. Diamond is Director of International Affairs for Christian Concern (CC) and Standing Counsel to the Christian Legal Centre (CLC). Through these he is linked to Andrea Williams and Sam Solomon.

- Has acted as legal counsel to Gerard Batten, UK Independence Party (UKIP) MEP.
- Addressed Tennessee Freedom Coalition (TFC) *The Constitution or Sharia: Preserving Freedom* conference in Nashville, Tennessee on 11 November 2011.
- Addressed the MassResistance banquet in Boxborough, Massachusetts on 18 September 2011 [http://www.massresistance.org/docs/gen/11c/MR\\_banquet/index.html](http://www.massresistance.org/docs/gen/11c/MR_banquet/index.html)



### Stephen Gash

Gash is the Cumbrian-based former UK spokesman for the Stop Islamisation of Europe (SIOE) network and is also a former member and parliamentary candidate of the English Democrats Party (EDP), standing in the Sedgefield by-election which followed the resignation of Tony Blair as a Labour MP in 2007.

Gash organised and led a number of protests by the SIOE including one outside Harrow Central Mosque in 2009 which turned violent and saw a number of arrests including that of Stephen Gash, to prevent him from breaching the peace. In 2010, Gash announced he was stepping down from the position of UK spokesman of the SIOE network.



Stephen Lennon and Kevin Carroll formally join the British Freedom Party



### Christopher Knowles (aka Aeneas Lavinium and Aeneas Europa)

An influential and important figure in the British and European Counter-Jihad movement. He was involved in the creation of the English Defence League and is involved in several international ‘counter-Jihad’ organisations.

- Counter-Jihadist blogger since 2006 and founder, *Beer n Sandwiches* ([www.beernsandwiches.blogspot.com](http://www.beernsandwiches.blogspot.com)) blog, in 2006.
- Activist, British Freedom Party (BFP).
- Co-founder, English Defence League (EDL), in 2009.
- Co-Director, International Civil Liberties Alliance (ICLA), since 2007.
- Former Co-Organiser, Vigilant Freedom Europa, European chapter of the CVF/ICLA.
- Attended UK and Scandinavia *Counter-Jihad* summit in Copenhagen on 14 April 2007.
- Attended inaugural *Counter-Jihad* conference in Brussels on 18-19 October 2007.
- Delivered presentation at a conference in Bologna on 30 November 2007 representing Vigilant Freedom Europa, European chapter of the Center for Vigilant Freedom (CVF).
- Organiser, Vigilant Freedom Britannia *Making Britain Safe for Apostasy* conference in London on 11 October 2008.
- Attended 2<sup>nd</sup> annual *Counter-Jihad* conference in Vienna on 10-11 May 2008.
- Attended 3<sup>rd</sup> annual *Counter-Jihad* conference in Copenhagen on 16-17 May 2009.
- Addressed Bürgerbewegung Pax Europa (BPE) rally in Berlin in support of Geert Wilders on 17 April 2010.
- Addressed 4<sup>th</sup> annual *Counter-Jihad* conference in Zurich on 12-13 June 2010.
- Attended 5<sup>th</sup> annual *Counter-Jihad* conference in London on 24 September 2011.





### Stephen Lennon (aka Tommy Robinson)

Stephen Lennon is the co-founder, spokesperson and leader of the English Defence League (EDL), the main anti-Islamist street protest movement in the world. He is viewed as an inspirational figure to both the militant and the political wings of

the Counter-Jihad movement and is considered by them to be a trailblazer. Images of EDL demonstrations have been used at Tea Party fundraisers in the United States.

Lennon is a convicted football hooligan and he has also served 12 months' imprisonment for actual bodily harm for assaulting an off-duty police officer during a domestic incident in 2004. He was convicted of assault in November 2011 for headbutting another EDL supporter at a rally.

In May 2012 he formally joined the British Freedom Party (BFP), becoming its joint Vice-Chairman.

- Founded the EDL in 2009 after previously being involved in United People of Luton (UPL).
- Former member, British National Party (BNP), 2004-2005.
- Refused entry into the United States in September 2010 after he attempted to attend a Stop Islamization of America (SIOA) demonstration in New York on the anniversary of 9/11.
- Addressed European Freedom Initiative (EFI) launch rally of the European Defence League in Amsterdam on 30 October 2010.
- Addressed Bloc Identitaire (BI) *International Congress on the Islamisation of Europe* in Paris on 18 December 2010.
- Addressed Jewish Defence League (JDL) of Canada meeting in Toronto via videoconference on 11 January 2011.
- Addressed Bloc Identitaire (BI) demonstration in Lyon, France on 14 May 2011.
- Hosted international Counter-Jihadist activists in Luton on 23 September 2011.
- Attended 5<sup>th</sup> annual *Counter-Jihad* conference in London on 24 September 2011.
- Addressed *European Counter-Jihad* rally re-launch of the European Defence League in Aarhus, Denmark on 31 March 2012.



### Ann Marchini (aka Dominique Devaux aka Gaia)

One of Britain's leading Counter-Jihadists who was at the founding meeting of the EDL but is also a crucial link between more respectable Counter-Jihadist funders and politicians in Europe and North America.

- Activist, British Freedom Party (BFP) and acts as the Liaison Officer with the English Defence League (EDL)
- Co-founder and funder, English Defence League (EDL), in 2009.
- Contributor, *Gaia's Page* on the *4 Freedoms Community* (4F) blog.
- Former Co-organiser, Vigilant Freedom Europa, European chapter of the Center for Vigilant Freedom (CVF)/International Civil Liberties Alliance (ICLA)
- Organised meeting between members of the English and Welsh Defence League (EWDL) and Counter-Jihadist activists in July 2009.
- Attended UK and Scandinavia *Counter-Jihad* summit in Copenhagen on 14 April 2007.
- Attended inaugural *Counter-Jihad* conference in Brussels on 18-19 October 2007.
- Delivered presentation at a conference in Bologna on 30 November 2007 representing Vigilant Freedom Europa, European chapter of the Center for Vigilant Freedom (CVF).
- Attended pro Köln *Stop Islamisation Conference* in Cologne on 20 September 2008.
- Attended 3<sup>rd</sup> annual *Counter-Jihad* conference in Copenhagen on 16-17 May 2009.
- Attended 4<sup>th</sup> annual *Counter-Jihad* conference in Zurich on 12-13 June 2010.
- Attended 5<sup>th</sup> annual *Counter-Jihad* conference in London on 24 September 2011.
- Attended English Defence League (EDL) meeting in the West Midlands on 19 November 2011 at which the EDL agreed to enter into a political alliance with the British Freedom Party (BFP).
- Organised link between Patrick Brinkmann and Bjørn Larsen, which resulted in the Geert Wilders rally in Berlin in 2010.



## United Kingdom



### Magnus Nielsen

Member, UK Independence Party (UKIP) and former UKIP parliamentary candidate. Close to Alan Ayling. Nielsen is also Chairman of the Cogers Trust, which boasts of being the “oldest speakers society in the world”.

■ Attended Stop Islamisation of Europe (SIOE) *No Sharia Here!*

demonstration in central London on 26 October 2007.

■ Addressed SIOE demonstration outside Lambeth Palace, London on 11 September 2008.

■ Attended English Defence League (EDL) rally in London on 5 March 2010 in support of Geert Wilders (leader, Dutch Party for Freedom).



### Lord (Malcolm) Pearson of Rannoch

Former leader, United Kingdom Independence Party (UKIP), 2009-2010 and was instrumental in encouraging UKIP to take a public stance against Islamism.

■ In collaboration with Baroness Cox, Pearson twice invited Geert Wilders (leader Dutch Party for

Freedom) to the House of Lords in London to screen his anti-Islamist *Fitna* film, originally on 12 February 2009 when Wilders was banned from entering the UK and then successfully on 5 March 2010 after the ban had been lifted.

■ Council member, The Freedom Association (TFA), since 2001.

■ Addressed International Free Press Society (IFPS) sponsored conference in Washington DC on 27-28 October 2009.



### Melanie Phillips

Journalist. Columnist, *Daily Mail*, since 2001. ([www.melaniephillips.com](http://www.melaniephillips.com)). A fierce supporter of Israel and equally a critic of Islam. Her book *Londonistan: How Britain is Creating a Terror State Within* follows the basic premise of ‘Eurabia’ and argues that multiculturalism, weak policing and cultural relativism has created a breeding ground for Islamist

terrorists. She claims that there is a “covenant of security” between Islamists and the British authorities.

In a speech in Toronto on 10 November 2010, Phillips concluded the “end game” was coming. Initially it would be a fight between fascists and “islamo-fascists”. “What side are we going to be in? I pose the question but I don’t have an answer.” She said that she could not see herself siding with racists or antisemites but the fight was coming and it would be ugly.

In an article entitled *Grovelling Alone*, in her *Spectator* column (18 October 2010), Phillips wrote: “Angela Merkel has got the point. Multiculturalism has failed, she states flatly, as she surveys western Europe going down under the tide of radical Islam. Rather than liberal society creating the utopia of harmonious cultural pluralism, it is being swallowed whole by the giant predator whose voracious mouth it encourages, in the spirit of tolerance, to open ever wider in the unshakeable belief of western liberals that the jaws about to snap shut around their necks are actually stretched wide in a smile.” That predator, according to Phillips, is Islam.

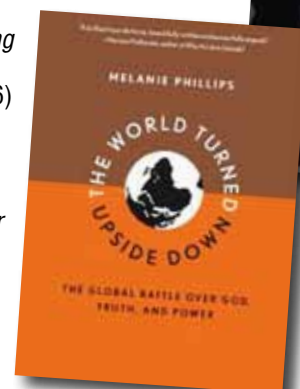
■ Contributing Editor, *Family Security Matters* (FSM).

■ Received Danish Free Press Society 2009 *Sappho Award*.

■ Contributed an interview to the German right-wing extremist weekly *Junge Freiheit*. Nazi BNP boss Nick Griffin was interviewed in the same edition.

Author: *Londonistan: How Britain is Creating a Terror State Within* (Gibson Square, 2006)

*The World Turned Upside Down: The Global Battle over God, Truth and Power* (Encounter Books, 2010)





## Paul Ray

Paul Ray originates from Luton and is one of the original founder members of the English Defence League (EDL) but has since fallen out with the current EDL leadership. Ray runs an anti-Islamist blog using the name "Lionheart", founded 2007, which saw him arrested in 2008 over postings allegedly inciting racial hatred, however, no charges

were brought against him. He also runs *Bradford Protest* ([www.bradfordprotest.blogspot.com](http://www.bradfordprotest.blogspot.com)) blog.

Ray is close friends with convicted terrorists "Mad" Nick Greger and Johnny Adair and was interviewed by Norwegian police over possible links to Norwegian mass killer Anders Behring Breivik, after Breivik identified himself as a 'Knights Templar', similar to the description Ray gave himself. In reality Ray is little more than fantasist and publicity seeker who is now living in Malta.



## Steve Simmons (aka Chris Redmond)

Founder and Organiser, European Freedom Initiative (EFI), since 2010. Was previously Head of Media, English Defence League (EDL) but then fell out with the leadership but now appears to have re-established links. Is a key player in the European Counter-Jihad scene, especially in

Scandinavia where he has good links. In his 50s, Simmons rarely goes on public demonstrations and prefers to operate behind the scenes.



Nick Greger and Johnny Adair

## Order 777

Order 777 is the brainchild of Malta-based Paul Ray and convicted German neo-Nazi terrorist Nick Greger. The two men were instrumental in an early battle for control of the English Defence League. During a bitter factional fight, it is alleged that Greger, a well-known admirer of exiled Loyalist Paramilitary boss Johnny Adair, was threatening the EDL leadership with Adair-inspired violence.

Order 777 appears to be only two-strong, with Greger and Ray regularly blogging and self-promoting their vision that there will be a future war between Christians and Islamists. They invoke the imagery and language of the Crusaders.

Adair is said to have lost interest in the pair after a highly-publicised trip around Africa with Greger.





## United Kingdom



### Sam Solomon

British-based exile and Islamic Affairs Advisor. Former Muslim scholar and Islamic jurist turned Christian convert. Solomon plays an important role in the UK and European Counter-Jihad movement, and has had links to both the English Defence League (EDL) and more respectable figures like Geert Wilders.

- Co-founder, Christian Concern (CC) and Christian Law Society.
- Executive Director, Fellowship of Faith for the Muslims (FFM) UK.
- Advisory Board member, International Free Press Society (IFPS).
- Addressed inaugural *Counter-Jihad* conference in Brussels on 18 October 2007.
- Addressed Ariel Center for Policy Research (ACPR) *Facing Jihad* conference in Jerusalem on 14 December 2008.
- Addressed Danish Free Press Society/*Islam-Critical Network* conference on *The Fate of Infidels in Muslim-dominated Societies*, in Copenhagen on 26 September 2009.
- Addressed International Free Press Society (IFPS) sponsored conference in Washington DC on 28 October 2009.
- Addressed International Free Press Society (IFPS) Canada conference in London, Ontario on 2 June 2010.
- Attended Danish Free Press Society conference in Copenhagen on 27 November 2010.
- Addressed Tennessee Freedom Coalition (TFC) conference in Nashville, Tennessee on 12 May 2011.
- Addressed Tennessee Freedom Coalition (TFC) *The Constitution or Sharia: Preserving Freedom* conference in Nashville, Tennessee on 11 November 2011.
- Addressed Tennessee Freedom Coalition (TFC) and Christian Concern (CC) joint Sharia law conference in Tennessee on 18 November 2011.
- Addressed *Islam-Critical Network* conference in Sorø, Denmark on 24 March 2012.

Author: *A Proposed Charter of Muslim Understanding* (Pilcrow Press, 2006), which was launched at the European Parliament in Strasbourg on 13 December 2006 and at the House of Lords in London on 29 April 2007.

Co-author:

*The Mosque Exposed* (Advancing Native Missions Press, 2007)

*Modern Day Trojan Horse: Al-Hijra, The Islamic Doctrine of Immigration – Accepting Freedom or Imposing Islam?* (Pilcrow Press, 2009)

*Al-Yahud: Eternal Islamic Enmity and the Jews* (Pilcrow Press, 2010)

*The Truth about 'A Common Word'* (Pilcrow Press, 2008)



### Dr Patrick Sookhdeo

Guyana-born, British-based, former Muslim turned Christian convert.

Founder and International Director of the Barnabas Fund, since 1993. The Barnabas Fund has done a lot of good work helping victims of religious persecution around the world and Dr Sookhdeo has experienced Islamist extremism and racism.

Dr Sookhdeo argues that he is exercising his right to be critical of political Islam but to his detractors say he fails to distinguish between political Islam and the wider faith and in determining the faith as a problem he seems to suggest that any observant Muslim as a potential threat.

His critics have also pointed out that his books share many of the common traits of Eurabia conspiracy and in the Counter-Jihadist conferences he has attended and his advisory role to Pamela Geller and Robert Spencer make him part of this Counter-Jihad trend.

- Advisory Board member, Former Muslims United (FMU).
- Founder and former Director, Institute for the Study of Islam and Christianity (ISIC) (education and research arm of the Barnabas Fund) ([www.isic-centre.org](http://www.isic-centre.org)), 1989-2009.
- Addressed inaugural *Counter-Jihad* conference in Brussels on 18 October 2007.
- Addressed Danish Free Press Society/*Islam-Critical Network* conference on *The Fate of Infidels in Muslim-dominated Societies*, in Copenhagen on 26 September 2009.
- Cited four times in Anders Breivik's manifesto.

Author: *A People Betrayed: The Impact of Islamization on the Christian Community in Pakistan* (Isaac Publishing, 2002)

*Faith, Power and Territory: A Handbook of British Islam* (Isaac Publishing, 2002)

*Understanding Islamic Terrorism: The Islamic Doctrine of War* (Isaac Publishing, 2004)

*Islam: The Challenge to the Church* (Isaac Publishing, 2006)

*Global Jihad: The Future in the Face of Militant Islam* (Isaac Publishing, 2007)

*The Challenge of Islam: to the Church and Its Mission* (Isaac Publishing, 2008)

*Understanding Shari'a Finance: The Muslim Challenge to Western Economics* (ISIC, 2008)

*Freedom to Believe: Challenging Islam's Apostasy Law* (Isaac Publishing, 2009)

*Slippery Slope: The Islamisation of the UK* (Barnabas Fund, February 2011)

*Islam in Our Midst: The Challenge to Our Christian Heritage* (Isaac Publishing, 2011)



## Paul Weston

Chairman, British Freedom Party (BFP), since 2011. Was previously active in the UK Independence Party. He is an exponent of theology of The Rapture, a Christian fundamentalist ideology. ([www.paulweston101.blogspot.com](http://www.paulweston101.blogspot.com)).

■ Founder and President, International Free Press Society

(IFPS) – England, since 2010.

■ Regular contributor to the anti-Islamist *Gates of Vienna* blog, since 2007.

■ Former UK Independence Party (UKIP) parliamentary candidate at the 2010 general election.

■ Supporter, Stop Islamisation of Europe (SIOE) and attended SIOE *No Sharia Here!* demonstration in central London on 26 October 2007.

■ Attended inaugural *Counter-Jihad* conference in Brussels on 18-19 October 2007.

■ Attended 2<sup>nd</sup> annual *Counter-Jihad* conference in Vienna on 10-11 May 2008.

■ Attended meeting at Canary Wharf, London in August 2009 with British and US Counter-Jihadist activists, including representatives of the English Defence League (EDL), organised by the US-based Christian Action Network (CAN).

■ Addressed European Freedom Initiative (EFI) rally in Amsterdam on 30 October 2010.

■ Attended Danish Free Press Society conference in Copenhagen on 27 November 2010.

■ Addressed European Alliance for Freedom (EAF) conference in Jerusalem, Israel on 7 December 2010.

■ Addressed Bloc Identitaire (BI) *International Congress on the Islamisation of Europe*, in Paris on 18 December 2010.

■ Attended Die Freiheit rally in Berlin on 3 September 2011.

■ Attended 5<sup>th</sup> annual *Counter-Jihad* conference in London on 24 September 2011.

■ Addressed Jewish Defense League (JDL) of Canada meeting in Toronto on 20 February 2012 ([www.jdl-canada.com/weston.pdf](http://www.jdl-canada.com/weston.pdf)).

■ Addressed ACT! for America private meeting in New York on 23 February 2012, with a speech entitled *Transforming Britain into Lebanon*.



## Andrea Minichiello Williams

Barrister and Christian evangelical activist. Featured heavily in a Channel 4 *Dispatches* documentary film, *In God's Name*, broadcast on 19 May 2008. Reporter David Modell concluded that Williams was “a colourful and powerful

campaigner for the implementation of radical Christian views” and that she “believes any law that goes against her strict biblical beliefs must be fought.”

Works closely with Paul Diamond and Sam Solomon – two other Christian evangelicals – who are heavily involved in the Counter-Jihad movement.

■ Co-founder and Chief Executive, Christian Concern (CC), since 2005.

■ Co-founder and Chief Executive, Christian Legal Centre (CLC), since 2007.

■ Addressed International Free Press Society (IFPS) sponsored conference in Washington DC on 28 October 2009.

■ Addressed Tennessee Freedom Coalition (TFC) and Christian Concern (CC) joint Sharia law conference in Tennessee on 18 November 2011.



Flyer from the Faith Freedom International website



# FPÖ

## Bürgerinitiative Dammstraße Citizens Initiative Dammstraße

Citizens initiative against the building (extension) of a mosque in Vienna (ATIB Moschee Dammstrasse). They organise meetings, collect signatures and publish "news".

Leader: **Hannelore Schuster**

■ Website: <http://www.facebook.com/pages/ATIB-Moschee-Dammstra%C3%9Fe/176705079057857>

## Freiheitliche Partei Österreichs (FPÖ) Austrian Freedom Party

Founded 1956 by the merger of three right-wing organisations. The FPÖ is a populist, nationalist, anti-immigration and anti-Islamist party. It claims 50,000 members. In the last parliamentary elections in 2008 the FPÖ secured 17.5% of the national vote, though this was down on their high of 26.9% in 1999. Recent opinion polls put them at over 20% and being the largest supported party amongst young people in Austria.

The FPÖ has links with several other European far-right and right-wing populist parties.

Leader: **Heinz-Christian Strache**, since 2005

■ Website: [www.fpo.e.at](http://www.fpo.e.at)

## Islam Stop (Stop Islam)

Run by the Nationale Volkspartei (NVP) (National People's Party) campaigns for a ban on the construction of minarets in Austria.

■ Website: [www.islam-stop.info](http://www.islam-stop.info) and [www.neuepartei.at](http://www.neuepartei.at)

## Mission Europa Netzwerk Karl Martell (Mission Europe-Network Karl Martell)

Founded 2007 to co-ordinate the activities of organisations campaigning against the Islamisation of Europe. Vienna-based.

Leader: **Elisabeth Sabaditsch-Wolff**

■ Website: [www.missioneuropakartell.wordpress.com](http://www.missioneuropakartell.wordpress.com)

## SOS Österreich (SOS Austria)

One of the most popular hate-blogs in Austria. The blog collects and re-publishes anti-Islam articles from different sources. Founded as an anti-Islamist blog.

Leaders : **Patrick Huber** and **Daniel Weber**

■ Website: [www.sosheimat.wordpress.com](http://www.sosheimat.wordpress.com)



## Elisabeth Sabaditsch-Wolff

Austrian Counter-Jihadist activist since 2007 and one of the most important figures in the European Counter-Jihad scene. ([www.english.savefreespeech.org](http://www.english.savefreespeech.org)). She heads the Mission Europa – Netzwerk Karl Martell (Mission Europe – Network Karl Martell) and the Austrian international chapter of Act! for America. She is also an international Representative of the Bürgerbewegung Pax Europa (BPE) and the Austrian correspondent of the *Gates of Vienna* blog.

Convicted in a Vienna court on 15 February 2011 of hate speech for comments about Muhammad and Islam delivered at an Austrian Freedom Party (FPÖ)-organised seminar in November 2009. She was sentenced to pay a fine of 480 euros.

■ Addressed inaugural *Counter-Jihad* conference in Brussels on 18 October 2007.

■ Addressed *Counter-Jihad* conference in Vienna on 11 May 2008.

■ Addressed Bürgerbewegung Pax Europa (BPE) rally in Berlin on 3 October 2009

■ Addressed American Freedom Defense Initiative (AFDI) meeting at CPAC conference in Washington DC on 19 February 2010.

■ Addressed European Freedom Initiative (EFI) rally in Amsterdam on 30 October 2010.

■ Addressed International Free Press Society (IFPS) conference in Copenhagen on 27 November 2010.

■ Addressed Bloc Identitaire (BI)'s *Assises Internationales sur L'Islamisation de nos Pays*, conference in Paris on 18 December 2010.

■ Addressed English Defence League (EDL) demonstration in Luton on 5 February 2011.

■ Addressed Die Freiheit (Freedom) meeting in Hannover on 19 February 2011.

■ Attended annual national conference of Act! for America in Washington DC on 22-24 June 2011.

Gerhard Kurzmann, a politician from the Austrian Freedom Party, used an internet game called 'Bye Bye Mosque' in an election campaign. In the game, people had to shoot down Muslims and mosques as they appeared on the screen.

He was charged with incitement but found not guilty.

Less than 2% of population in the state he was contesting are Muslim and the province has no mosques with visible minarets.







## Europe / Belgium

### THE BRUSSELS JOURNAL

THE VOICE OF CONSERVATISM IN EUROPE

#### The Brussels Journal (BJ)

Founded 30 June 2005 as a blog and self-described as *The Voice of Conservatism in Europe*. It is written by a coalition of individual journalists and writers across Europe and is published by the Zurich-based Society for the Advancement of Freedom in Europe (SAFE). The BJ serves as the news service for the International Civil Liberties Alliance (ICLA)'s *Counter-Jihad Europa* blog.

Founder and Editor: **Dr Paul Belien** (Flemish journalist; Co-Vice President, International Free Press Society and former Director, *Islamist Watch*, 2006-2012), since 2005

■ Website: [www.brusselsjournal.com](http://www.brusselsjournal.com)

#### Cities Against Islamisation (CAI)

Founded 17 January 2008 in Antwerp, Belgium as a pan-European network of city-based, anti-Islamist organisations. CAI has published a *Charter for Cities Against Islamisation*. CAI co-ordinates the activities of organisations which campaign against the Islamisation of cities in Western Europe. It co-organised an *Anti-Islamisierungs (Anti-Islamisation)* conference in Cologne on 20 September 2008. CAI has received support from the Austrian Freedom Party (FPÖ), British National Party (BNP) and Vlaams Belang (VB) in Belgium and it claims to have received support from individuals and political parties in Denmark, France, Germany, Italy, the Netherlands and Spain.

Founder and Chairman: **Filip Dewinter** (Vlaams Belang MP in the Flemish Parliament), since 2008

■ Website: [www.citiesagainstislamisation.com](http://www.citiesagainstislamisation.com)

#### Les Résistants The Resistance

Founded January 2009 as an network of secular organisations which campaign against fundamentalist Islam in all its forms.

Founder and Co-ordinator: **Aldo-Michel Mungo** (co-founder, Popular Party, and who addressed the Bloc Identitaire International Congress on the *Islamisation of Europe* conference in Paris on 18 December 2010)

#### SIOE België (Belgium)

Founded 2007 but now inactive. Last posting on website was in January 2008.

■ Website: [www.sioebelgie.wordpress.com](http://www.sioebelgie.wordpress.com)



#### Vlaams Belang (VB) Flemish Interest

Founded December 1978 originally as Vlaams Blok (Flemish Bloc) by the merger of two breakaway Flemish nationalist parties from Volksunie (VU). Vlaams Blok was banned on 9 November 2004 after it was declared 'racist' by the Belgian Court of Cassation. It was disbanded on 14 November 2004 and re-founded as Vlaams Belang (VB).

VB is a Flemish nationalist, populist, secessionist, anti-immigration and anti-Islamist party. It advocates the establishment of an independent Flemish state for the Dutch-speaking region of Flanders. VB campaigns against the construction of new mosques and the Islamisation of cities in Belgium such as Antwerp. It has declared Islam to be incompatible with basic Western values and it advocates the voluntary repatriation of immigrants. VB publishes the monthly *Vlaams Belang* magazine (2004-). It claims 9,000 members.

VB has established close links with like-minded anti-Islam political parties across Europe, including the Austrian Freedom Party (FPÖ), the Danish People's Party (DF), the Northern League (LN) in Italy, the Slovak National Party (SNS) and the Sweden Democrats (SD). It has worked closely with Stop Islamisation of Europe (SIOE) since 2007. VB co-organised an anti-Islamist demonstration in Brussels on 11 September 2007 and hosted the inaugural *Counter-Jihad* conference in Brussels on 18-19 October 2007.

Founder: **Karel Dillen** (leader Vlaams Blok, 1978-1996)

Leader: **Bruno Valkeniers**, since 2008

Prominent figures: **Filip Dewinter** (who has been instrumental in pushing anti-immigration to the top of VB's agenda since the 1980s, and who was arrested at a Stop Islamisation of Europe demonstration in Brussels on 11 September 2007, which had been banned by the mayor of Brussels) and **Gerolf Annemans**

■ Website: [www.vlaamsbelang.org](http://www.vlaamsbelang.org)

#### Women Against Islamisation (WAI)

Founded 6 March 2012 in Antwerp, Belgium as a pan-European network of women opposed to the Islamisation of Europe. WAI has published a *Charter for Women Against Islamisation*. WAI's launch was addressed by **Jackie Cook** (wife of Nick Griffin, Chairman of the British National Party). The group's identifying image is in Filip Dewinter's daughter wearing a bikini and a hijab.

Founder and President: **Anke Van Dermeersch** (Vlaams Belang MP and author, *Not Whore, Not Slave: Women and Islam*, 2012)

■ Website: [www.womenagainstislamisation.org](http://www.womenagainstislamisation.org)





### Dr Paul Belien

A conservative-libertarian journalist and blogger, Paul Belien runs the *Brussels Journal* blog and edits the conservative magazine *Nucleus*. He has written for many newspapers, including *The Wall Street Journal*, *The American Conservative*, the *Daily Mail* and *The Independent*. He supports Flemish independence, free trade and opposes abortion.

He is married to Dr Alexandra Colen, a Vlaams Belang member of the Belgian parliament.

- Journalist. Founder and Editor, *The Brussels Journal* blog, in 2005.
- Co-Vice President, International Free Press Society (IFPS), since 2009.
- Director, *Islamist Watch*, since 2006.
- Co-founder, Centre for the New Europe (CNE) think-tank in Brussels, in 1993.
- Attended UK and Scandinavia *Counter-Jihad* summit in Copenhagen on 14 April 2007. OR
- Addressed inaugural *Counter-Jihad* conference in Brussels on 18 October 2007.

Author, *A Throne in Brussels: Britain, the Saxe-Coburgs and the Belgianisation of Europe* (Imprint Academic, 2005)

(Photo: Luc van Braekel)



### Filip Dewinter

A leading Flemish nationalist politician, Filip Dewinter is one of the leaders of Vlaams Belang and is heavily involved in the European Counter-Jihad movement, regularly speaking at events across Europe.

- Vlaams Belang (VB) MP in the Flemish Parliament, since 1995. ([www.filipdewinter.be](http://www.filipdewinter.be))

- Former leader, Vlaams Belang and Belgian MP, 1987-1995.
- Founder and Chairman, Cities Against Islamisation (CAI), since 2008.
- Addressed inaugural *Counter-Jihad* conference in Brussels on 18 October 2007.
- Attended Bürgerbewegung pro Köln and Cities Against Islamisation (CAI) *Anti-Islamisation Conference* in Cologne on 20 September 2008.
- Addressed Danish Free Press Society meeting on 18 April 2009.
- Attended European Alliance for Freedom (EAF) conference in Jerusalem, Israel on 7 December 2010.
- Addressed Bloc Identitaire (BI) anti-Islamist conference in Paris on 10 March 2012.

Author: *Inch' Allah? The Islamisation of Europe* (2009)

(Photo: AFF/Verzet)

## Belgium: Discrimination against Muslims hits all-time high

**Source: Centre for Equal Opportunities and Opposition to Racism**

A GROWING PROPORTION of discrimination cases in Belgium are connected to faith, a report released last summer has found.

A total of 166 out of 1,466 cases launched in connection with discrimination and racism-related offenses involved faith, says the Belgian government agency, the Centre for Equal Opportunities and Opposition to Racism (CEOOR).

Eighty-four percent of these cases were connected to Islam while only 2% concerned Christianity and Judaism.

Eighty percent of the complaints filed with the CEOOR involved racism and two-thirds of the cases involving Islam stemmed from Islamophobia, the report said.

These incidents of Islamophobia were mostly characterised by propaganda being disseminated through e-mail and pressure in the workplace.

The report noted these instances are often a result of workplace administrations believing that "religion has no place in the workplace." The tension arising from Islamophobic attitudes in the workplace is mostly eliminated "by transferring the Muslim employee involved to another department or laying her/him off."

Furthermore, half of the cases of discrimination involving faith were linked to media organizations publishing or airing unfair accusations or generalizations about members of a specific religion. A quarter of cases concerned recruitment or promotion while 8 percent involve services provided, particularly in real estate purchases or rentals.

The number of cases of discrimination reported to the CEOOR in 2010 increased by 25 percent compared with the previous year. A list of companies allegedly reluctant to employ foreign employees was recently posted on the Internet.



## Europe / Bulgaria



### Nacionalen Sajuz 'Ataka' National Union 'Attack'

Founded April 2005 as a coalition of three organisations. Ataka is a populist, ultra-nationalist, antisemitic, anti-Roma, anti-Turkish and anti-Islamist party. It publishes the *ATAKA* newspaper ([www.vestnikataka.com](http://www.vestnikataka.com))

Chairman: **Volen Nikolov Siderov** (former journalist and TV talk-show host)

■ Website: [www.ataka.bg/en](http://www.ataka.bg/en)



## Europe / Czech Rep.



### Antimesita

Founded as an anti-mosque movement.

Leader: **Valentin Kusak**

### EUrabia

<http://eurabia.parlamentnilisty.cz> and <http://blogeurabia.parlamentnilisty.cz>

■ Website: [www.eurabia.cz](http://www.eurabia.cz)



Volen Nikolov Siderov. Photo: [http://commons.wikimedia.org/wiki/User:Ivanov\\_id](http://commons.wikimedia.org/wiki/User:Ivanov_id)





### Danish Defence League (DDL)

Founded 2010 or 2011, its activists have been linked to the Dansk Front and Blood and Honour (B&H) organisations. There was a major split within the organisation towards the end of 2011, with four sections and more than 25 members leaving following allegations of embezzlement and undemocratic methods by some in the leadership. The split resulted in the closure of the website and facebook site.

The DDL hosted the *European Counter-Jihad* re-launch rally of the European Defence League in Aarhus, Denmark on 31 March 2012.

The original leader of the Danish Defence League was bodybuilder Kasper Mortensen who also headed the DDL's section in southern Jutland. He runs the official Danish Defence League website. However, he was arrested and remanded in police custody and his place was taken by Philip Traulsen who is a central member of the right-wing extremist organisation *Danmarks Nationale Front*, which consists of former members from the violent *Dansk Front* network and the nazi *Blood and Honour*.

Leaders: **Philip Traulsen** was removed just before Aarhus as leader of the DDL and replaced by **Freja Lindgren**

■ Website: <http://www.danishdefenceleague.dk>

### Trykkefrihedsselskabet (DFPS) Danish Free Press Society

Founded 2004 to defend freedom of speech. The Society takes its name from the original society of the same name that existed in Denmark from 1835-1849. The Frederiksberg, Copenhagen-based, cross-party Society has close links with Geert Wilders (Leader, Dutch Party for Freedom). It co-organised *The Fate of Infidels in Muslim-dominated Societies* conference in Copenhagen on 26 September 2009. The Society publishes the *Sappho* ([www.sappho.dk](http://www.sappho.dk)) online magazine. It bestows an annual *Free Press Award*. The Society has 100-150 supporters.

Co-founder and President: **Lars Hedegaard** (President, International Free Press Society), since 2004

Co-founders: **Rev. Søren Krarup** (Lutheran priest; founder, The Danish Association and Danish People's Party MP, since 2001) and **Jesper Langballe** (Danish People's Party MP)

Vice-President: **Katrine Winkel Holm** (founder, anti-Islamist *Islamkritisk Netværk i Folkekirken* blog), since 2004

■ Website: [www.trykkefrihed.dk/free-press-society.htm](http://www.trykkefrihed.dk/free-press-society.htm)



### Dansk Folkeparti (DF) Danish People's Party

Founded October 1995 as a breakaway from the Progress Party, the DF is a populist, ultra-nationalist, anti-immigration and anti-Islamist party. It advocates a complete stop to immigration from non-Western countries, which is linked to its anti-Islamist agenda. It has 10,000 members.

In the 2011 parliamentary elections the Danish People's Party polled 12.3% of the national vote, securing 22 seats in parliament. It is the third largest party in Denmark.

Co-founder and Leader: **Pia Kjaersgaard**, since 1996

■ Website: <http://www.danskfolkeparti.dk>



### Den Danske Forening (DDF) The Danish Society

Founded 1987 as a cross-party, anti-immigration organisation, it is run by a Roskilde-based board. It publishes the quarterly *Danskeren* online magazine.

Founder: **Rev. Søren Krarup** (Lutheran priest; co-founder, Danish Free Press Society and Danish People's Party MP, since 2001)

Co-Leaders: **Professor Ole Hasselbalch** (lawyer [www.ole-hasselbalch.dk](http://www.ole-hasselbalch.dk) and advisory board member, International Free Press Society) and **Tomas Kierstein**

Prominent activists: **Keld Rasmussen** and **Harry Vinter**

■ Website: <http://www.dendanskeforening.dk>



## EuropeNews (EN)

An independent, Danish-based, anti-Islamist news service. EN serves as a news service for the Counter-Jihadist movement in Europe. It has close links with the International Free Press Society (IFPS). EN sent a representative to the *Counter-Jihad* conference in Zurich on 12-13 June 2010.

Co-Publisher and International Editor: **Henrik Ræder Clausen** (member, Danish People's Party), since 2007.

Co-Publisher: **Holger Danske** (pseudonym for *Holger the Dane*, a legendary warrior hero who fought alongside Charles Martel at the Battle of Poitiers in 732 AD)

Publication: *EN-Newsletter*

■ Website: [www.europenews.dk/en](http://www.europenews.dk/en)

## Frit Danmark A Free Denmark

Named after the cross-party national publication *Frit Danmark* (9 April 1942-1945) which advocated liberation from the German occupation of Denmark. Only has about 20 supporters.

Leader: **Michael Ellegaard**

## Islamkritisk Netværk i Folkekirke (INIF) Islam-Critical Network

Founded 2006 as an anti-Islamist blog. INIF co-organised *The Fate of Infidels in Muslim-dominated Societies* conference in Copenhagen on 26 September 2009.

Founder: **Katrine Winkel Holm** (theologian [www.katrinewinkelholm.com](http://www.katrinewinkelholm.com)); Vice-President, Danish Free Press Society and daughter of **Søren Krarup**

■ Website: <http://www.inif.dk>



Photo: David Lagerlöf, Expo.se

## SIOE Denmark

Was the fore-runner to Stop the Islamisation of Europe. SIOE Denmark has organised several demonstrations in Denmark against Islamism and Sharia law. It organised a demonstration on 21 May 2010 against a mosque on Danmarksvej in Aalborg and on 28 August 2010 against a proposed grand mosque in Copenhagen.

Founder: **Anders Gravers Pedersen** (Organiser: Stop Islamisation of Europe and Stop Islamisation of Denmark and advisory board member, Stop Islamization of Nations)

■ Website: <http://www.sioedanmark.wordpress.com>



SIOE/SIAD demonstration Photo: Demos

## Stop Islamiseringen af Danmark (SIAD) Stop Islamisation of Denmark

Founded June 2005 as an anti-immigration and anti-Islamist organisation. SIAD campaigns against the Islamisation of Denmark.

Founder and Organiser: **Anders Gravers Pedersen** (Organiser: Stop Islamisation of Europe and SIOE Denmark and advisory board member, Stop Islamization of Nations).

Prominent activist: **Peder Hansen Bering**

■ Website: <http://www.siaddk.wordpress.com>

## Vederfølner

Founded 2007 as a nationalist organisation by former leaders of the Dansk Front. Taking its name from old Norse/Nordic mythology, Vederfølner is anti-immigration and campaigns against the Islamisation of Denmark.

Leader: **Lars Grønæk Larsen**

Prominent activists: **Dan Jensen, Rene Lindberg, Søren Mortensen and Lars Rask**



### Anders Gravers Pedersen

As leader of the Stop Islamisation of Europe (SIOE) Anders Gravers Pedersen heads one of the most important networks in Europe and can be credited with being the mastermind behind the pan-European Counter-Jihadist network.

- Founder and Leader, Stop Islamisation of Denmark (SIAD), since 2005.
- Co-founder and Leader, Stop Islamisation of Europe (SIOE), since 2007.
- Founder and Leader, SIOE Denmark, since 2007.
- Co-founder, Stop Islamization of Nations (SION), in 2012.
- Attended UK and Scandinavia *Counter-Jihad* summit in Copenhagen on 14 April 2007.
- Addressed American Freedom Defense Initiative (AFDI) *Jihad: The Political Third Rail* meeting at the American Conservative Union (ACU)'s annual CPAC conference in Washington DC on 19 February 2010.
- Addressed Stop Islamization of America (SIOA) *No 9/11 Mosque at Ground Zero* rally in New York on 6 June 2010.
- Addressed Bloc Identitaire (BI) *International Congress on the Islamisation of Europe* in Paris on 18 December 2010.
- Addressed Stop Islamization of America (SIOA) annual *9/11 Freedom Rally* in New York on 11 September 2011.
- Addressed *European Counter-Jihad* re-launch rally of the European Defence League in Aarhus, Denmark on 31 March 2012.

Author: *The Islamisation of Europe*



### Lars Hedegaard

Journalist and historian. As founder of the International Free Press Society (IFPS) he leads one of the most important international Counter-Jihad networks and has championed the cause of Dutch politician Geert Wilders.

- Founder and President, Danish Free Press Society, since 2004.
- Founder and President, International Free Press Society (IFPS), since 2009.
- Convicted of 'hate speech' on 3 May 2011 under Article 266(b) of the Danish penal code for anti-Islamist comments made in an interview to the webmaster of the [www.snaphanen.dk](http://www.snaphanen.dk) blog on 22 December 2009. He was fined 5,000 Danish krone.
- Former Editor-in-Chief, *Information*, the now-defunct Copenhagen daily newspaper.
- Addressed inaugural *Counter-Jihad* conference in Brussels on 18 October 2007.
- Addressed Die Freiheit meeting in Kiel, Germany on 11 June 2011.

Author: *Muhammad's Girls: Violence, Murder and Rape in the House of Islam* (Free Speech Library, 2011)

Co-author, *In the House of War: Islam's Colonisation of the West* (Hovedland, 2003)



Anders Gravers Pedersen  
addressing European  
Counter-Jihad rally  
in Aarhus  
Photo: David Lagerlöf





## Europe / Finland



### Finnish Defence League (FDL)

Founded May 2011. The FDL has a Facebook site with almost 2,000 supporters and it claims to have a few local divisions.

Founder and Leader: **Mimosa Koironen** (aka **Mimosa DeDanann**) (who addressed the re-launch rally of the European Defence League in Aarhus, Denmark on 31 March 2012)

### Muutos 2011 Change 2011

Founded 2009. A right wing Finnish political party which takes its name from the 2011 Finnish parliamentary elections, though it only attracted 7,504 votes in the election. It campaigns for free speech and has a hardline approach to immigration and crime. It is also strongly anti-Muslim.

Leader: Marjukka Kaakkola (2012- )

### Perussuomalaiset (PS) True Finns or The Finns

Founded 13 October 1995 as the successor to the Finnish Rural Party (SMP). PS is a populist, nationalist, anti-immigration and anti-Islamist party. PS has 5,000 members. One True Finn MP is Jussi Halla-aho. He carries a link to Gates of Vienna on his own blog and they in turn described his election to Parliament as a "celebration".

Co-founder and Leader: **Timo Soini**, since 1997

■ Website: <http://www.perussuomalaiset.fi>

### Tundra Tabloids (TT)

Founded existed October 2007

Founder: **Kenneth G. Sikorski** (US-born, Finland-based, Counter-Jihadist blogger, who translates texts from Finnish to English for the *Gates of Vienna* blog and who addressed the inaugural *Counter-Jihad* conference in Brussels on 18 October 2007 and attended the *Counter-Jihad* conferences in Vienna on 10-11 May 2008, Copenhagen on 16-17 May 2009 and London on 24 September 2011).

■ Website: [www.tundratabloids.com](http://www.tundratabloids.com) and [www.tundratabloidsextra.blogspot.co.uk](http://www.tundratabloidsextra.blogspot.co.uk)

### Vapauspuolue (VP)

Founded 2009. The VP is a populist and anti-immigration party.

■ Website: [www.vapauspuolue.fi](http://www.vapauspuolue.fi)



### Finnish politician defends racist outburst

James Hirvisaari, a True Finns Party MP, attracted Europe-wide condemnation in April 2012 after defending his parliamentary assistant Helena Eronen, who suggested on a blog on the online *Uusi Suomi* news website that making it compulsory for immigrants to wear armbands would make policing significantly easier.

"If every foreigner was obliged to wear a mark on their sleeve stating their country of origin, then the police could see at a glance that 'aha, there's a muslim (*sic*) from Somalia', or 'aha, that's a beggar from Romania'" she wrote.

Under such a discriminatory, Nazi-style, scheme Muslims could be assigned a crescent mark, Eronen added, and Russian immigrants a hammer and sickle emblem. She also proposed the imposition of identifying symbols for Swedish Finns and homosexuals.

Hirvisaari was himself convicted of incitement to racism after he wrote a strong anti-Muslim blog. "Unfortunately, with rampant Muslim immigration to Finland, there will also be an increase in genuine racism, which will target especially the Jews, but also the native population and other ethnic groups. And on top of that, discrimination, unbearable arrogance and rude behavior, anger, women's oppression, genital mutilation of children, sexual harassment, persecution of minorities, rioting, flag burning, disturbances, drugs, looting, rape crimes, paedophilia, polygamy, child marriages, shame-based violence, ritual slaughter, whippings, stonings and other thoroughly revolting and truly twisted practices and occurrences. Eventually, even suicide bombings and terrorism. That is, if we do not dance exactly according to their tune."

Hirvisaari has also claimed that the brutal massacre carried out by Anders Behring Breivik was a side-effect of Norwegian immigration policies.



### Bloc Identitaire (BI) Identity Bloc

Founded April 2003. The BI is as a radical Right, anti-immigration, anti-Islamist and antisemitic street movement. It describes itself as 'identitarian' as opposed to nationalist, and campaigns for regional/local identity and European cultural unity on an ethno-cultural basis. BI spearheads the 'Identity movement' in France and across Europe. It became a formal political party in 2009, although it has not recently contested national elections. It has established 'Identity Houses' in cities across France and it publishes the *IDentitaires* bulletin.

BI campaigns against the Islamisation of France and of Europe. It organised an *Assises Internationales sur L'Islamisation de nos Pays* (International Congress on the Islamisation of Europe) in Paris on 18 December 2010. BI has links with the Austrian Freedom Party (FPÖ), the Lega Nord (LN) in Italy and Vlaams Belang (VB) in Belgium. It organised an anti-Islamist conference in Paris in March 2012. Two BI representatives addressed the English Defence League (EDL) demonstration in Luton on 5 February 2011.

In March 2012 it organised a rally in Paris which was addressed by Jared Taylor, founder and editor of American Renaissance, and Filip Dewinter.

Founder and President: **Fabrice Robert**

■ Website: [www.bloc-identitaire.com](http://www.bloc-identitaire.com)



### Front National (FN)

The Front National is a fascist and racist party founded in 1972. It was led, until recently, by Jean-Marie Le Pen who had convictions for dismissing the Holocaust as a "mere detail" of the Second World War, for violence and for claiming the Nazi occupation was not "particularly inhumane".

The party floundered on the margins till 1984 when it won seats in the European Parliament. In the 2002 presidential election, Le Pen beat the socialist candidate in the first round but in the run-off, Jacques Chirac wiped him out.

His daughter Marine now heads the party which still opposes immigration, is Islamophobic and antisemitic, despite its claims to have changed. It strongly opposes the European Union, is authoritarian on law and order issues and seeks the return of the death penalty. Marine Le Pen stirred up controversy with a speech to party members in Lyon on 10 December 2010 when she claimed that the "weekly illegal blocking of public streets and squares throughout France for Muslim prayers" is comparable with an occupation of parts of French territory. In the wake of the Islamist terrorist murders in Toulouse in March 2012, Marine Le Pen manipulated the shootings to stigmatise French Muslims.

Founder and Hon. President: **Jean-Marie Le Pen, 1972-2011**

Leader: **Marine Le Pen** (daughter of Jean-Marie Le Pen), since 2011

■ Website: [www.frontnational.com](http://www.frontnational.com)

### The FN's shift to anti-Islam

*By Jean-Yves Camus*

In 1985, the Catholic fundamentalist Chrétienté Solidarité, distributed posters showing a giant mosque and a Muslim crescent, with the words: "Today in Beirut, Tomorrow in Paris". Bernard Antony, the man behind the slogan, was a Front National (FN) MEP trying to whip up fears that the Lebanon civil war would soon be replicated in France.

At the time, the FN focussed much more on immigration than on Islam as a culture or religion and a minority wing was sympathetic to the Arab world in its fight against Israel. For them, antisemitism still prevailed over opposition to Islam.

In 1989, when the "Muslim headscarf in state schools" controversy hit the news, Jean-Marie Le Pen explained that without immigrants, there would be no *hijab*. It was only after 9/11 that the emphasis began to switch to Islam but, even then, the most vocal proponent was not Le Pen but the Eurosceptic arch-conservative Philippe de Villiers who, in 2006, wrote that "Islam is not compatible with the French Republic".

In contrast, during his 2007 presidential campaign, Le Pen extended a hand to Muslim French citizens, telling them

they were "a branch of the French tree". Marine Le Pen, then the party's number two, was under the influence of Alain Soral, a novelist who served as her adviser and favoured an alliance with the Arab world against "Zionist" domination.

However, presenting the FN as 'mainstream' moved to the top of Marine Le Pen's agenda in her 2010 campaign to succeed her father as party boss. Consequently she quietly dropped the anti-Semitism and by 2011 she was raving about the "Islamisation" of France and Muslims "praying in the streets".

During the 2012 presidential campaign, she even declared her intention to "crush" the Islamist movement, ban dual citizenship and the French Muslim organisation, the UOIF, which is linked to the extremist Muslim Brotherhood.

Raising the stakes, she was first to propose banning ritual slaughter, whether kosher or halal. These proposals would not have been made if at least part of Sarkozy's party had not sided with her on such issues and had not made anti-Islam expressions part of its own campaigns.

This thinking enabled Marine Le Pen to try to manipulate Islamist extremist Mohamed Merah's vile murders of Muslim and Jewish people in Toulouse with vitriolic propaganda calling for "war" against "Islamists" and blaming the killings on immigration, a stance that may have helped get her some of the 17.9% she won in the presidential ballot.

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Stop à la Charia

## L'Alliance (FFL) Alliance to Stop Sharia

Founded July 2010. The Alliance campaigns against the introduction of Sharia law in Europe. It has launched a petition entitled *Charter of the Nations Rejecting Sharia*. The Alliance has received support from the Counter-Jihadist International Civil Liberties Alliance (ICLA).

Founder and leader : **Jean-Michel Clément** (aka **Alain Wagner** and **Gandalf**) (Leader: Vérité, Valeurs et Démocratie and Union de Défense des Citoyens et Contribuables)

Addressed the *Counter-Jihad* conference in Zurich on 12-13 June 2010, the European Freedom Initiative rally in Amsterdam on 30 October 2010 and the European *Counter-Jihad* rally re-launch of the European Defence League in Aarhus on 31 March 2012)

■ Website: [www.allianceffl.wordpress.com](http://www.allianceffl.wordpress.com)

## Ligue de Défense Française (LDF) French Defence League

Founded September 2010. The LFG is composed of Bloc Identitaire (BI) activists and autonomous nationalists.

■ Website: [www.facebook.com/liguededefensefrancaise](http://www.facebook.com/liguededefensefrancaise)

## Riposte Laïque Secular Response

Founded September 2007 as an anti-Islamist online journal. It has close links with Bloc Identitaire (BI).

Founder and Editor: **Pierre Cassen** (Organiser, Bloc Identitaire's *International Congress on the Islamisation of Europe*, in Paris on 18 December 2010) and Key activist: **Christine Tasin** (President, Résistance Républicaine) who are co-authors *Assises Internationales sur L'Islamisation de nos Pays*, (Riposte Laïque, 2011)

■ Website: [www.ripostelaique.com](http://www.ripostelaique.com)

## SITAmnesty (SITA) Stop Islamisation and Terrorist Actions

A blog and website that claims to raise awareness about the true dangers of Islam.

■ Website: [www.sitamnesty.wordpress.com](http://www.sitamnesty.wordpress.com)



## Union de Défense des Citoyens et Contribuables (UDCC) Union for the Defence of Citizens and Taxpayers

The UDCC has campaigned against the Mayor of Paris's plans for the L'Institut des Cultures d'Islam (ICI) (Islamic Cultural Institute) in Paris. Has fewer than 100 supporters.

Leader: **Jean-Michel Clément** (aka **Alain Wagner**)

■ Website: [www.udcc.fr](http://www.udcc.fr)

## Vérité, Valeurs et Démocratie (VV&D) Truth, Values and Democracy

Founded December 2009 as neo-conservative and anti-Islamist website. VV&D campaigns against Sharia law, the construction of new mosques and the Islamisation of France. It is affiliated to the Alliance to Stop Sharia. Has fewer than 50 supporters.

Founder and leader : **Jean-Michel Clément** (aka **Alain Wagner**)

■ Website: [www.verite-valeurs-democratie.over-blog.com](http://www.verite-valeurs-democratie.over-blog.com)



## Jean-Michel Clément aka Alain Wagner and Gandalf

■ Founder: L'Alliance FFL (Alliance to Stop Sharia), since 2010.

■ Founder and leader, Vérité, Valeurs et Démocratie (VV&D), since 2009.

■ Founder and leader, Union de Défense des Citoyens et Contribuables (UDCC).

■ Addressed *Counter-Jihad* conference in Zurich on 12-13 June 2010.

■ Addressed European Freedom Initiative (EFI) rally in Amsterdam on 30 October 2010.

■ Addressed *European Counter-Jihad* rally re-launch of the European Defence League in Aarhus, Denmark on 31 March 2012.





### blu-News

Founded 2012 as an online alternative media news service.

■ Website: [www.blu-news.org](http://www.blu-news.org)

### Bürgerbewegung Pax Europa

Founded 17 May 2008 by the merger of Bundesverband der Bürgerbewegungen (BDB) and Pax Europa. The Gemmingen-based BPE is a non-party, populist citizens' movement and think-tank.

The BPE campaigns against the construction of new mosques and the Islamisation of Germany. It organised an anti-Islamist rally in Berlin on 3 October 2009 and co-organised a *Solidarity with Geert Wilders – against the Islamisation of Western Europe!* rally outside the Dutch Embassy in Berlin on 17 April 2010. The BPE organised a *Big Islam-Critical Weekend* rally in Stuttgart on 3-5 June 2011. The BPE works closely with the anti-Islamist Politically Incorrect (PI) blog and has close links with Geert Wilders' Party for Freedom (PVV) in the Netherlands. It publishes the irregular *BürgerForum* (June 2009-) online newsletter. BPE has posted online the 496-page *The Minority Report: The admitted Islamization of Europe*. The BPE has 1,000 members.

Co-founder and Chairman: **Willi Schwend**

Co-founder: **Dr Udo Ulfkotte** (journalist; author, *The War in Our Cities: How Radical Islamists Infiltrate Germany*, Eichborn, 2003 and *SOS Occident: The Creeping Islamisation of Europe*, Kopp Verlag, 2008, and who resigned from the BPE citing racist incitement against Muslims and who was prominent in the now defunct anti-Islamist Akte Islam)

Deputy Chairman: **René Stadtkewitz** (Chairman, Die Freiheit)

General Secretary: **Conny Axel Meier** (who attended the *Counter-Jihad* conference in Zurich on 12-13 June 2010)

Prominent activists: **Rainer Grell** (who developed the notorious nationwide 'Muslimtest', an interview guideline for foreigners applying for German citizenship)

■ Website: [www.buergerbewegung-pax-europa.de](http://www.buergerbewegung-pax-europa.de) and <http://bpeinfo.wordpress.com>



### Pro Bürgerbewegung

Founded as a network of populist and conservative regional and local parties. They include Pro Deutschland, Pro Berlin, Pro Köln and Pro NRW [Nord Rhein-Westfalen]. Pro campaigns against the construction of new mosques and the Islamisation of Germany. Pro Köln, Pro NRW and the pan-European Cities Against Islamisation (CAI) co-organised an *Anti-Islamisierungskongress (Stop Islamisation Conference)* in Cologne on 20 September 2008. Pro has close links with Vlaams Belang (VB) in Belgium. It claims about 1,000 supporters.

International Secretary: **Patrik Brinkmann** (Swedish-German millionaire businessman and former leader, Bürgerbewegung pro Berlin, until 2011)

■ Website: [www.freiheitlich.me](http://www.freiheitlich.me)

### Bürgerbewegung pro Berlin

Pro Berlin is a populist and anti-Islamist party, which campaigns against the Islamisation of Berlin. It shares offices in Berlin with Bürgerbewegung pro Deutschland.

Former Leader: **Patrik Brinkmann** (Swedish-German millionaire businessman), until 2011

■ Website: [www.pro-deutschland.net](http://www.pro-deutschland.net)



### Bürgerbewegung pro Deutschland

Founded as a populist and anti-Islamist party by members of Bürgerbewegung pro Köln. The Berlin-based pro Deutschland has close links with Vlaams Belang (VB) in Belgium. Pro Deutschland claims several hundred members. It publishes the *Pro Deutschland* (2006-) newsletter.

Federal Chairman: **Manfred Rouhs** (publisher, *nation24.de – Unabhängiges Magazin pro Deutschland* magazine and former member, National Democratic Party of Germany).

Prominent activist: **Lars Seidensticker** (federal whip of Bürgerbewegung pro Deutschland and chairman of the Berlin state association of his party. A former member and activist of the extreme right-wing party Die Republikaner. Is also president of a very small registered association called "Eigentümerbund Ost e.V.", a right-wing association of Germans expelled from former German territories at the end of WWII.

■ Website: [www.pro-deutschland-online.de](http://www.pro-deutschland-online.de)



## Bürgerbewegung pro Köln

Founded June 1996. Pro-Köln is a populist and anti-Islamist party, which campaigns against the Islamisation of Cologne. Pro Köln has close links with the Austrian Freedom Party (FPÖ) and Vlaams Belang (VB) in Belgium, which supported pro Köln's demonstration on 16 June 2007 against plans to construct a large new mosque in Cologne. It co-organised an anti *Anti-Islamisierungskongress (Stop Islamisation Conference)* in Cologne on 8-10 May 2009 and an anti-Islamisation *March for Freedom* in Cologne on 7 May 2011. It claims 200 members.

■ Website: [www.pro-koeln.org](http://www.pro-koeln.org)

## Bürgerbewegung pro NRW

Founded early 2007 as the geographical offshoot of Bürgerbewegung pro Köln. Pro NRW is a populist and anti-Islamist party, which campaigns against the Islamisation of North Rhine-Westphalia. It co-organised an *Anti-Islamisierungskongress (Stop Islamisation Conference)* in Cologne on 8-10 May 2009 and an anti-Islamisation *March for Freedom* in Cologne on 7 May 2011. The Cologne-based pro NRW has close links with the Austrian Freedom Party (FPÖ) and Vlaams Belang (VB) in Belgium. It claims some 900 members.

Chairman: **Markus Beisicht**

■ Website: [www.pro-nrw.net](http://www.pro-nrw.net)

## Citizen Times (CT)

Founded 2001. CT is an online political magazine published by the Gustav Stresemann Stiftung (Foundation) ([www.stresemann-stiftung.de](http://www.stresemann-stiftung.de)). Gustav Stresemann was leader of the German People's Party, 1918-1929. It is funded by the US-based Middle East Forum (MEF). It has close links with two other online alternative media new services, *EuropeNews* (EN) and *blu-News*.

■ Website: [www.citizentimes.eu](http://www.citizentimes.eu)



# DIE FREIHEIT

## Die Freiheit Freedom

Founded 28 October 2010. It is a populist, anti-immigration and anti-Islamist party. Die Freiheit campaigns against the Islamisation of Germany. It has close links with Geert Wilders (leader, Dutch Party for Freedom), Oskar Freysinger (Swiss People's Party MP), the Politically Incorrect (PI) blog and Robert B. Spencer (Vice President, Stop Islamization of Nations; Associate Director, Stop Islamization of America and Executive Director, *Jihad Watch*). Die Freiheit invited Wilders to address anti-Islamist conferences it organised in Berlin on 2 October 2010 and on 3 September 2011. It claims over 2,000 members.

Founder and Chairman: **René Stadtkewitz** (Member of the Berlin state Parliament and Deputy Chairman, Bürgerbewegung Pax Europa, and who has been described as 'the German Geert Wilders')

Deputy Chairman: **Marc Doll** ([www.marc-doll.de](http://www.marc-doll.de))

Prominent activist: **Aaron Koenig** (former board member, Pirate Party)

■ Website: [www.diefreiheit.org](http://www.diefreiheit.org)



Photo: David Lagerlöf, *Expo.se*

## German Defence League (GDL)

Founded 3 February 2010. The GDL boasts ten Divisions, with the most active in Hannover. Many of the others appear to be little more than Facebook groups. Its logo is *Maximum Resistance*. Representatives from the GDL have attended demonstrations organised by the Dutch Defence League (DDL) in Amsterdam on 30 October 2010 and the English Defence League (EDL) in Luton on 5 February 2011. The GDL was the only national defence league to arrange a coach for its supporters to attend the re-launch of the European Defence League in Aarhus on 31 March 2012.

Leader: **Andre Sachsen** (who addressed the re-launch rally of the European Defence League in Aarhus, Denmark on 31 March 2012)

■ Website: [www.german-defence-league.de/](http://www.german-defence-league.de/)



### Politically Incorrect (PI)

Founded 2004 in Germany as a conservative alternative media blog. Since the controversy over the infamous twelve cartoons depicting the Prophet Muhammad that were published in the Danish *Jyllands-Posten* newspaper on 30 September 2005, it has become the leading German anti-Islamist online network. PI campaigns against the Islamisation of Germany and of Europe. It supports both Die Freiheit (Freedom) and the Pro movement in Germany. It co-organised a *Solidarity with Geert Wilders – against the Islamisation of Western Europe!* rally outside the Dutch Embassy in Berlin on 17 April 2010. PI sent a representative to the *Counter-Jihad* conference in Zurich on 12-13 June 2010. It claims 50 local branches in Germany, Austria, the Czech Republic and Switzerland.

Founder: **Stefan Herre** (advisory board member, Stop Islamization of Nations)

Leader of the Bavarian chapter: **Michael Stürzenberger** (journalist; Press Secretary, Bavarian branch, Bürgerbewegung Pax Europa, and who attended the *European Counter-Jihad* re-launch rally of the European Defence League in Aarhus, Denmark on 31 March 2012 brandishing the Israeli 'Star of David' national flag)

■ Website: [www.pi-news.org](http://www.pi-news.org)



### SIOE Deutschland

SOIE Deutschland is the German arm of Stop Islamisation Of Europe (SIOE), a pan-European alliance of anti-Muslim groups whose self-proclaimed aim is to prevent Islam from becoming "a dominant political force in Europe". Almost exclusively a website presence with little evidence of members or public activity, it applauds the activities and outbursts of extremists like US-based blogger and fanatic Pamela Geller, Geert Wilders, Robert Spencer and the German anti-Muslim author Theo Sarrazin whom it regards as "a hero".

It has links with the convicted Austrian racist Elisabeth Sabaditsch-Wolff and Marc Doll, the founder of the far-right party Die Freiheit and his colleague, the ex-Christian Democrat René Stadtkewitz, as well as with Bürgerbewegung Pax Europa. It also supports the demands of the journalist and anti-Islamist Michael Mannheimer that the anti-fascist movement should be "smashed".

■ Website: [www.sioede.wordpress.com](http://www.sioede.wordpress.com)



### René Stadtkewitz

Described as the German Geert Wilders, René Stadtkewitz is the leading political figure in the Counter-Jihad scene and has many international links.

■ Founder and Chairman, Die Freiheit (Freedom), since 2010.

■ Member of the Berlin state Parliament.

■ Deputy Chairman, Bürgerbewegung Pax Europa (BPE).

■ Supporter, Cities Against Islamisation (CAI), since 2008.

■ Addressed Bürgerbewegung Pax Europa (BPE) rally in Berlin on 3 October 2009.

■ Invited Geert Wilders (leader, Dutch Party for Freedom) to address Die Freiheit anti-Islamist conference in Berlin on 2 October 2010.

■ Attended European Alliance for Freedom (EAF) conference in Jerusalem, Israel on 7 December 2010.

■ Addressed Bloc Identitaire (BI) *International Congress on the Islamisation of Europe* in Paris on 18 December 2010.

■ Addressed Stop Islamization of America (SIOA) annual 9/11 Freedom Rally in New York on 11 September 2011.

### "Pro-Köln"

The populist anti-Muslim "Pro" movement has tried hard to turn the German region of North Rhine-Westphalia into its political stronghold but has actually succeeded in doing the opposite.

This outfit began life as "pro-Köln" in 1996, a supposedly "public-spirited" anti-prostitution offshoot of the nazi Deutsche Liga für Volk und Heimat started by right-wing extremist publisher Manfred Rouhs and fascist activist (and now lawyer) Markus Beisicht.

For years "pro Köln" vegetated on the nazi margins of the German right, making little political impact and proving a flop at the electoral level.

It then sought to divide the city's population along ethnic and cultural lines with a petition, signed by 28,000 people, to a city council plan to build a mosque. The campaign gave the group's candidates in the 2004





## Europe / Greece

**Stefan Herre**

- Founder, Politically Incorrect (PI) blog, in 2004.
- Advisory Board member, Stop Islamization of Nations (SION), since 2012.
- Addressed inaugural *Counter-Jihad* conference in Brussels on 18 October 2007.

**Patrik Brinkmann**

Swedish-German millionaire businessman. He has sought to fund and establish an anti-Islamist party in Germany as part of a broader pan-European network of anti-Islamist, populist parties which would include ultra-nationalist elements in Israel.

- Former leader, Bürgerbewegung pro Berlin, in 2011.
- Founder, Continent Europe Foundation (KES) think-tank, in 2004, whose aim was to unify the European far-right
- Donated €5 million to the populist Pro NRW in 2010.
- Closely linked to two fascist parties in Germany: the National Democratic Party of Germany (NPD) and the German People's Union (DVU), which was absorbed by the NPD in 2011.

local elections a boost and, grabbing 4.7% of the vote, it won four seats on the city council.

In 2007, it embarked on another petition, this time against the building of a Central Mosque in Cologne's Ehrenfeld district. The campaign gathered 23,000 signatures – a third of them fraudulent or invalid – and generated the beginnings of mass opposition to its divisive antics.

A plan a year later to stage an International Conference Against Islamisation that would discuss “the foreign infiltration of our cities” and the “false ideology of multiculturalism” ended in a fiasco when the event was stopped in its tracks by massive protests by more than 50,000 ordinary Cologne citizens who blocked the streets around the conference venue, prompting the police to cancel the event.

This was a humiliation for the “pro-Koln” movement and while it still holds five seats on the Cologne city council, its efforts to build national outreach have largely failed.

**Chrysi Avyi  
Golden Dawn**

Founded 1 November 1993, it is an antisemitic ultra-nationalist, anti-immigration, neo-Nazi party. It advocates Hellenism. It recently won 7% in the May 2012 Greek general election, giving it representation in the Parliament for the first time.

Leader: **Nikolaos Michaloliakos**

**Greek Defence League**

Founded 1 January 2012. Appears to be little more than an internet organisation, with a Facebook page and a couple of videos on Youtube.

**Laikos Orthodoxos Synagermos  
(LAOS) Popular Orthodox Rally**

Founded 14 September 2000 as a populist, nationalist, anti-immigration, antisemitic and anti-Islamist party.

Founder and Leader: **Georgios Karatzaferis**





### CasaPound Italia

Founded 2003. It takes its name from Ezra Pound, the American expatriate author and Mussolini sympathiser. The youth street movement has been described as 'Third Millennium fascists'. It was previously associated with Tricolour Flame but now is an independent organisation.

In December 2011 a CasaPound activist killed three African immigrants in Florence.

Leader: **Gianluca Iannone**

### Faith Freedom Italia

An Italian branch of the Faith Freedom International (FFI), it is organised around a website but it mainly consists of Italian translations of materials and articles from the main FFI website.

■ Website: [www.italian.faithfreedom.org](http://www.italian.faithfreedom.org)

### Forza Nuova (FN) New Force

Founded 29 September 1997 by former members of Terza Posizione. FN is a neo-fascist, Catholic fundamentalist, anti-immigration, antisemitic and anti-Islamist party.

Co-Founder and leader: Roberto Fiore (convicted terrorist, multi-millionaire and MEP until 2009)

CCo-founder: **Massimo Morsello** (deceased)

■ Website: [www.forzanuova.org](http://www.forzanuova.org)

### Italian Defence League (IDL)

Founded in late 2011, the Italian Defence League (IDL) currently organises around an extensive website but as of yet there has been little public activity. The first formal meeting of the IDL was supposed to be held on 1 April 2012. It also has a facebook page with just 67 followers.

■ Website: [www.italiandefenceleague.org](http://www.italiandefenceleague.org)



(Second from left) FN Leader Roberto Fiore



### Lega Nord (LN) Northern League

Founded 15 February 1991 by the merger of the Lombardy League, Venetian League and other regionalist movements and autonomist parties in northern Italy, the Lega Nord was long part of the ruling coalition Government under Prime Minister Silvio Berlusconi. The LN advocates the establishment of an independent 'Padania'. The LN is a populist, regionalist, anti-immigration, anti-Roma and anti-Islamist party. It publishes *La Padania* daily newspaper. The LN claims over 100,000 members.

Founder: **Umberto Bossi**, resigned as leader April 2012

Leader: **Roberto Calderoli**

Prominent activist: **Mario Borghezio** (LN MP, who addressed Bloc Identitaire's *International Congress on the Islamisation of Europe* in Paris on 18 December 2010)

■ Website: [www.leganord.org](http://www.leganord.org)



### Movimento Sociale – Fiamma Tricolore (MS-FT) Social Movement – Tricolour Flame

Founded 27 January 1995 as a breakaway from the Italian Social Movement (MSI). The MS-FT is a populist, neo-fascist, antisemitic and anti-Islamist party.

Founder and leader: **Pino Rauti** (former Secretary, MSI, 1990-1991), 1995-2002

Leader: **Luca Romagnoli**, since 2002

### Una Via per Oriana A Way for Oriana

President: **Armando Manocchio** (who addressed the inaugural *Counter-Jihad* conference in Brussels on 18 October 2007)

■ Website: [www.unaviaxoriana.it](http://www.unaviaxoriana.it)

### Unpolitically Correct

■ Website: [www.unpoliticallycorrect.ilcannocchiale.it](http://www.unpoliticallycorrect.ilcannocchiale.it)



## Mario Borghezio

Mario Borghezio is a member of the Lega Nord and one of its MEPs. He is a member of the Europe of Freedom and Democracy Group, which involves, among others, the UK Independence Party, the Danish People's Party, the True Finns and the Slovak National Party.

Strongly anti-immigrant, Borghezio was convicted in 1993 for 'arresting' a 12-year-old unregistered Moroccan street seller. In 2005 he was found guilty of setting fire to pallets that some migrants were sleeping under in Turin. On 11 September 2007 he was arrested by Belgian police for participating in a protest against Islamisation of Europe. After the arrest of Ratko Mladic for the killing of 8,000 Muslim men and boys at Srebrenica, Borghezio described the Serb as a "patriot". He also said that the "The Serbs could have halted the advance of Islam into Europe, but they weren't allowed to do so."

He said of Anders Breivik: *"One hundred per cent of Breivik's ideas are good, in some cases extremely good. The positions of Breivik reflect the views of those movements across Europe which are winning elections."*



## Roberto Calderoli

Part of the new leadership of the Lega Nord, he is considered to be a flamebearer for the right of the party.

During the international crisis sparked by the publishing of the *Jyllands-Posten* cartoons in Denmark, Calderoli called for the Pope to form a 'coalition' against Muslims. He then announced that he would wear a T-shirt depicting

the cartoon and later the same day showed off his T-shirt on national television. However, the cartoon displayed was actually one drawn by the French newspaper *France Soir* rather than the offending Danish version. This still caused a reaction, most notably in Libya where 1,000 people demonstrated outside the Italian consulate. In the following clashes with police, at least 11 people died and 25 were injured.

Prime Minister Silvio Berlusconi asked Calderoli to resign as a Cabinet Minister but he initially refused. However, with pressure mounting, he did step down from his role a few days later.

## Vnatesna Makedonska Revolucionerna Organizacija (VMRO) (Internal Macedonian Revolutionary Organisation)

Founded late June 1990. It is named after the historic clandestine organisation that fought for the liberation of Macedonia from Ottoman Turkish rule.

Website: [www.vmro-dpmne.org.mk](http://www.vmro-dpmne.org.mk)

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### Dutch Defence League (DDL)

Founded September 2010. The DDL organised a pro-Geert Wilders rally in Amsterdam on 30 October 2010 on behalf of the European Freedom Initiative (EFI), which was heralded at the time as the launch of a European Defence League. However the event was a failure and the DDL collapsed soon after.



### Nationalistische Actiegroep (NAG) Voorpost

Founded 1976 in Flanders (Belgium) and 1978 in the Netherlands. Voorpost is a fascist pan-Dutch nationalist organisation.

It campaigns against the construction of new mosques. It has affiliated branches in the Netherlands, Flanders (Belgium) and South Africa. The Dutch branch claims 20 members. It publishes the *Laagland* quarterly newsletter and the Flemish branch publishes the magazine *Revolte*.

Leader: **Florens van der Kooi**

Strategist: **Paul Peters**

■ Website: [www.voorpost.org](http://www.voorpost.org) and [www.voorpost.wordpress.com](http://www.voorpost.wordpress.com) and [www.facebook.com/actiegroepvoorpost](https://www.facebook.com/actiegroepvoorpost)

### Nederlandse Volks-Unie (NVU) Dutch People's Union

Founded 1971. The NVU is a nazi, anti-Muslim party. It publishes *Wij Europa (We Europe)* quarterly magazine. The NVU claims 100 members.

Chairman/leader: **Constant Kusters**, since 2003

■ Website: [www.nvu.info](http://www.nvu.info)



### Partij voor de Vrijheid (PVV) Party for Freedom

Founded September 2005 as a breakaway from the People's Party for Freedom and Democracy (VVD). The PVV is a populist, nationalist, anti-immigration and anti-Islamist party. It campaigns against the Islamisation of the Netherlands and West. The PVV advocates a ban on the wearing of burqas in public and promotes the voluntary repatriation of non-European immigrants to their countries of origin. The party does not have members.

In 2006 the PVV polled 5.9% of the vote in the Dutch general elections. By 2010 this had risen to 15.5%. The PVV backed the subsequent ruling coalition Government without taking places in the Cabinet.

Founder and leader: **Geert Wilders** (advisory board member, International Free Press Society)

■ [www.pvv.nl/](http://www.pvv.nl/)



PVV-supporters at the court of Amsterdam on 20 January 2010 Photo: Alert!

## Geert Wilders

Founder and leader of the Party for Freedom (PVV), since 2004, the third largest party in the Netherlands, Wilders is the most successful Counter-Jihadist politician in the world. Until April 2012, his party had a “supporting arrangement” with the Dutch minority coalition government which fell when the PVV withdrew its support. His prominence in Dutch politics has secured his position as the main standard bearer across Europe of the Counter-Jihadist networks and he is feted by groups in North America.

- Founder, International Freedom Alliance (IFA), in 2010.
- Advisory Board member, International Free Press Society (IFPS), since 2009.
- Advocates banning the Koran in the Netherlands and has compared the Koran with Adolf Hitler’s *Mein Kampf*.
- The PVV has received funding from two anti-Islamist activists in the United States: David Horowitz (David Horowitz Freedom Center) and Dr Daniel Pipes (Middle East Forum).
- Banned from entering the United Kingdom by the then British Home Secretary between 12 February-13 October 2009 because of his anti-Islamist views.
- Addressed Danish Free Press Society meeting in the Danish Parliament, Copenhagen on 1 June 2008.
- Addressed Ariel Center for Policy Research (ACPR) *Facing Jihad* conference in Jerusalem on 14 December 2008.
- Addressed American Freedom Defence Initiative (AFDI) meeting at the American Conservative Union (ACU)’s annual CPAC conference in Washington DC on 27 February 2009.
- Addressed David Horowitz Freedom Center (DHRC) and International Free Press Society (IFPS) meeting in Beverly Hills, California on 4 April 2009.
- Addressed Florida Security Council (FSC) *Free Speech Summit* in south Florida on 26 April 2009, where he received the FSC annual 2009 *Free Speech Award*.
- Addressed Danish Free Press Society *Free Speech and Islam* conference in Copenhagen on 14 June 2009.
- Addressed private meeting organised by Lord (Malcolm) Pearson of Rannoch (then Leader of the UK Independence Party) and Baroness Cox of Queensbury in the House of Lords in London on 5 March 2010 where his film *Fitna* was screened.
- Addressed Stop Islamization of America (SIOA) inaugural *9/11 Freedom Rally* in New York on 11 September 2010.
- Addressed Die Freiheit anti-Islamist conference in Berlin on 2 October 2010, where he launched the International Freedom Alliance (IFA).
- Addressed Bürgerbewegung Pax Europa (BPE) conference in Berlin on 3 October 2010.
- Addressed Hatikva conference in Tel Aviv, Israel on 5 December 2010.



- Addressed International Free Press Society (IFPS) – Canada meeting in London, Ontario on 8 May 2011.
- Addressed IFPS – Canada and IFPS – USA sponsored meeting in Toronto, Canada on 9 May 2011.
- Addressed Tennessee Freedom Coalition (TFC) *A Warning to America* conference in Nashville on 12 May 2011.
- Addressed Die Freiheit conference in Berlin on 3 September 2011, backing the party’s election campaign.
- Author: *Choose for Freedom* (2005), *Marked for Death: Islam’s War Against the West and Me* (Regnery Publishing, 2012)
- Producer, 17-minute anti-Islamist documentary film *Fitna* (*Strife*), which compared Islam to Nazism (March 2008)
- Contributor, *Islam Rising: Geert Wilders’ Warning to the West* documentary film DVD (Christian Action Network, 2010)
- Website: [www.geertwilders.nl/](http://www.geertwilders.nl/)



### Document.no

Founded in January 2003 as a Norwegian nationalist online blog, Document.no is one of the most important right wing blogs in the country. It is anti-immigration and anti-Islamist in stance and strongly pro-Israel.

Anders Breivik was a strong supporter of Document.no, posting over 100 comments on articles between September 2009 and October 2010. He was generally very supportive of the website, and in his last post on the Document.no website said "Thanks for the great effort to date, Hans and Document. You are doing an incredibly important job and is considered today to be one of very few ideological alternative voices. And you will be noticed from the country's parliamentary representatives and journalists. I would even argue that the Document has become a political force in Norway, as we all know that the country's elites secretly read Document weekly! :-) You continue to make Norway a great service! :-)"

Breivik did differ from Document.no from time to time, often suggesting alternative approaches to some issues.

Editor: **Hans Rustad**

### Fremskrittspartiet (FrP) Progress Party

Founded 1973 as largely an anti-tax party, the FrP has become a populist, anti-immigration and anti-Islamist over the years.

The FrP has long called for a massive reduction in immigration into the country and more recently it has campaigned for the hijab to be banned in schools and for the deportation of parents of children wearing the hijab.

For much of the last fifteen years the FrP has been the second largest political party in Norway but, following the Anders Breivik massacres, it slipped to third, after Labour and the Conservatives and lost 6% of the vote from the previous election.

Leader: **Siv Jensen**, since 2006

### Human Rights Service (HRS)

Founded March 2001 as an independent think-tank.

Co-founder and General Manager: **Rita Karlsen**

Co-founder and Information Director: **Hege Storhaug** (journalist and author, *But the Greatest of all is Freedom: on Immigration and its Consequences*, 2006)

Political Analyst: **Dr Ole Jørgen Anfindsen** (aka **Jens Tomas Anfindsen**) (Editor, *Honest Thinking* blog)

Contributor: **Dr Bruce Bawer** (US-born, Oslo-based American expatriate journalist)

■ [www.rights.no](http://www.rights.no)



### Norwegian Defence League (NDL)

The NDL was formed in 2010 but quickly split into two groups after a dispute over the leadership. One group was led by Ronny Alte, from Tønsberg, who created a NDL Facebook group with some friends. The group gathered more than 500 members, including convicted nazis and exiled Russians belonging to the banned Slavic Union. One of the Russians was Vjoteslav Datsik, who walked into an Oslo police station in 2010 and applied for political asylum while waving a handgun. Datsik is now back in Russia awaiting trial on robbery charges. Anders Behring Breivik was an online supporter of the Norwegian Defence League. Other supporters had previously been involved in the Norwegian 'Blood and Honour' network.

The English Defence League has close links with the NDL. The NDL Facebook site is administered by Jeff Marsh, a leading EDL organiser and football hooligan. Marsh was once given a two-year prison sentence for stabbing two Manchester United fans.

In April 2011 the NDL held a demonstration in Oslo. Speaking at the event was Tower Hamlets-based EDL activist Darren Lee Marsh.

A new leadership emerged in early 2011, led by Håvar Krane and then Lena Andreassen. They organised a demonstration in Oslo in April 2011 which was only attended by 10 people. Andreassen has admitted being in contact with Anders Breivik, when he was a member of the NDL and before his expulsion from the organisation (*Dagbladet*, 13 October 2011). She also had relationships with Alan Ayling and several members of the EDL.

The group seemed to disintegrate after the Breivik killings, though it has now re-emerged under Alte's leadership. Between 10-15 NDL supporters attended the Defence League demonstration in Denmark in March 2012.

It later emerged that anti-racist group SOS Racism had persuaded Håvar Krane to take the leadership of the NDL.

Leader: **Ronny Alte**

Former leader: **Lena Andreassen**

■ Website: <http://www.norwegiandl.com>



Ronny Alte  
Photo: David  
Lagerlöf, Expo.se





Lena Andreassen  
Photo: [vepsen.org](http://vepsen.org)



## Stopp Islamiseringen av Norge (SIAN) Stop Islamisation of Norway

Founded 16 February 2008 as SIOE Norge. It evolved from Forum mot Islamisering (FOMI) (Forum Against Islamisation) which was founded on 11 September 2000 and renamed SIAN on 26 November 2008. SIAN is anti-immigration and campaigns against the Islamisation of Norway. It is linked to the nazi Fedrelandspartiet (Fatherland Party) and to Christian conservative organisations. Several activists from the Kristent Samlingsparti (KSP) (Christian People's Party) attended the European Counter-Jihad rally re-launch of the European Defence League in Aarhus, Denmark on 31 March 2012, wearing KSP T-shirts, SIAN badges and brandishing flags.

The group evolved out of the Aksjonskomiteen mot bønnenrop (lit. "Action Committee against prayer calling"), which was set up in 2000 to protest against a request by the Islamic Cultural Centre to broadcast the call to prayer over loudspeakers at a mosque in Oslo.

Leader: **Arne Tumyr**

■ Website: [www.sian.no](http://www.sian.no)

## Vigrid

Founded on 31 December 1998, Vigrid is a nationalist, *völkisch* neo-pagan group. It is neo-Nazi and antisemitic.

Founder: **Tore Wilhelm Tvedt**

Leader: **Thorgrim O. Bredesen**

■ Website: [www.vigrid.net](http://www.vigrid.net)



### Adrian Morgan

Contributing Editor, Family Security Matters (FSM).

Attended meeting of British and US Counter-Jihadist activists, including representatives of the English Defence League (EDL), at Canary Wharf, London in August 2009 arranged by the US-based Christian Action Network (CAN).



### Bruce Bawer

Bruce Bawer an Oslo-based American literary critic and poet, best known for his criticism of Islam. He was born in the United States in 1956, later moving to Amsterdam in 1998 and then the Oslo a year later.

In *While Europe Slept*, Bawer claims that Islamists are exploiting liberal societies to push their political and religious agenda, including the

funding of extremist mosques and hardline imams. Within 30 years, Bawer argues, Islam will dominate European society and the only way to prevent this is to abolish political correctness and the doctrine of multiculturalism.

Anders Breivik cited *While Europe Slept* in his manifesto and the book was nominated for the National Book Critics Circle Award in 2006 in the criticism category, but it has also come in for much criticism. Eliot Weinberger, one of the board members of the Circle, described the book as “racism as criticism” while the President of the Circle, John Freeman, said “I have never been more embarrassed by a choice than I have been with Bruce Bawer’s *When Europe Slept*.” He also said its “hyperventilated rhetoric tips from actual critique into Islamophobia.”

Shillman Journalism Fellow, David Horowitz Freedom Center (DHFC) ([www.brucebawer.com](http://www.brucebawer.com) and <http://memo.brucebawer.com>)

Author: *Tolerating Intolerance* (Partisan Review, 2002), *While Europe Slept: How Radical Islam is Destroying the West from Within* (Broadway Books, NY, 2007).

*Surrender: Appeasing Islam, Sacrificing Freedom* (Doubleday, 2009)

*Debating Islam and Other Essays from the Post-9/11 Era* (Swamp Fox Books, 2011)

*The New Quislings: How the International Left Used the Oslo Massacre to Silence debate About Islam* (Broadside Books, 2012)

### Fjordman

### aka Peder Nøstvold Jensen

Norwegian Counter-Jihadist blogger and arguably the single most important influence on Anders Breivik. Founder of the *Fjordman* blog in February 2005, he has since become one of the important prominent bloggers on the Counter-Jihad scene in Europe, writing regularly for blogs such as *Gates of Vienna*, *Brussels Journal* and *Jihad Watch*. His work was widely read by Anders Breivik and he was quoted 118 times in Breivik’s 1,500-page manifesto.

■ Peder Nøstvold Jensen was born in 1975 and has long argued that there is a secret Muslim plot to take over Europe. He articulated this view in his self-published book *Defeating Eurabia*, where he argued that the only way to save Europe was to deport all Muslims.

■ He has been equally hostile to multiculturalism, which he believes is allowing Islam to take hold in society. In an article on the Gates of Vienna website, entitled *Preparing for Ragnarok*, Jensen believes that a combination of immigration and multiculturalism will eventually lead to civil war.

“Perhaps we can do the same once the multicultural madness retreats,” he writes. “We need to make sure, though, that those who have championed the toxic ideas of Multiculturalism and mass immigration of alien tribes disappear with it.

“Experience tells us that if two or more different populations inhabiting the same country they will eventually be mixed. In combination, this means that the only way the European civilization can flourish in the long run, if we have large territories, specifically reserved for people who are overwhelmingly of European descent. In cases where this has been lost it needs to be restored.

“We will most likely enter a prolonged period of great turbulence and upheaval; the bubble of welfare state “cradle-to grave security” is about to burst. This process will be painful, but necessary, and is in any case more or less inevitable by now. In 1911 Western Europeans still ruled much of the world. In 2011 we don’t even rule the suburbs in our own major cities, and some learned observers seriously predict the end of European civilization altogether.

“This also implies that for the first time in centuries we are the underdogs. There are many historical examples, from the Persian invasions of ancient times to the Muslim invasions later, where Europeans have performed at our best when we have been the underdogs. Perhaps we can do the same once the Multicultural madness retreats. We need to make sure, though, that those who have championed the toxic ideas of Multiculturalism and mass immigration of alien tribes disappear with it. If that happens, we can give our descendants a fresh start and lay the foundations for a new Renaissance, where European civilization can flourish once more.”



Following the Norway killings in July 2011, Jensen quickly distanced himself from Anders Breivik, dismissing him as “violent psychopath”. He has more recently written at length about the initial psychiatric evaluation which declared Breivik insane. However, his criticism of the Norwegian authorities has not diminished. Shortly after the bomb blast in Oslo, he wrote on *Gates of Vienna* that readers should remember that the Norwegian Prime Minister Jens Stoltenberg was as much a “pathetic sucker for Islam as it is humanly possible to be” and his Government “the most *dhimmi* appeasing of all Western governments (...) suicidal and cowardly.” After the shooting at Utøya he declared the Workers Youth League, whose young supporters had been the victims, was a “gang of anti-Israeli, pro-Palestine youth-socialists”.

- He has been aggressively against immigration into Norway, once writing “they rape the natives and destroy the country.”

- Jensen has also been a strong supporter of the English Defence League. On 19 July, just three days before Breivik went on his killing spree, he wrote a glowing article about the EDL on its website. “I see brave people, ordinary men and women, who after years of humiliation and degradation are finally sick and tired of having to watch evil groups and organizations from other parts of the world being allowed to colonize their country and destroy their freedom, with barely a peep of protest from the local authorities. From that perspective, the EDL represents the only good news to come out of the repressive and dysfunctional country known as modern Britain in years. The organization has even inspired similar groups in other parts of Western Europe.

*“I don’t know what the EDL will amount to in the future, but right now it represents potential and hope. That’s why I support the efforts of the EDL, and that’s why you should do so, too.”*

- Attended UK and Scandinavia *Counter-Jihad* summit in Copenhagen on 14 April 2007. It was in Copenhagen that Jensen met Alan Ayling, aka Alan Lake, though he complained that the Englishman was “controlling”.

- Regular contributor to the anti-Islamist *Gates of Vienna* blog.

- Attended UK and Scandinavia *Counter-Jihad* summit in Copenhagen on 14 April 2007.

- Attended *Counter-Jihad* conference in Copenhagen on 16-17 May 2009.

- He finally abandoned his *Fjordman* pseudonym on 5 August 2011, after coming under much criticism for what many believed to have been his influence over Breivik, and he eventually moved to Denmark.

- *The Fjordman Files Archive* ([www.chromatism.net/fjordman/fjordmanfiles.htm](http://www.chromatism.net/fjordman/fjordmanfiles.htm)).

- Author, *Defeating Eurabia* (BJ Books, 2008).

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- Author, *Defeating Eurabia*, BJ Books, 2008).

- Website: <http://fjordman.blogspot.co.uk>





### EuroIslam

A website dedicated to stopping the spread of Islam across Europe and particularly in Poland.

**Rzecznik Stowarzyszenia** and **Piotr Slusarczyk**

■ Website: [www.euroislam.pl](http://www.euroislam.pl)



### Partidul România Mare (PRM) Greater Romania Party

Founded 20 June 1991. The PRM is a populist, ultra-nationalist, anti-ethnic Hungarian, anti-Roma, antisemitic and anti-Islamist party. It is the political wing of the nationalist 'Greater Romania' movement. It publishes the *România Mare* (1990-) weekly magazine.

Leader: **Corneliu Vadim Tudor**, since the 1990s

### Polish Defence League

The PDL announced its formation in 2011 but it has not conducted any public activities. Piotr Kaczmarczyk was scheduled to speak at the European Defence League demonstration in Aarhus, Denmark, in March 2012, but he did not show up. It seems that this group does not really exist in any meaningful way.

Leaders: **Rene Buller** and **Piotr Kaczmarczyk**





## Europe / Serbia



### Serbian Progressive Party (SPP)

Founded as a breakaway from the Serbian Radical Party. The SPP has established links with the Austrian Freedom Party (FPÖ).

Founder: **Tomislav Nikolic**.

**1389**

It is named after the Battle of Kosovo on 28 June 1389 in which the Serbs were defeated by the Ottoman Turks but which later became a symbol of Serb nationalism.

■ Website: [www.1389blog.com](http://www.1389blog.com)



## Europe / Slovakia



### Slovenská Národná Strana (SNS) Slovak National Party

Founded December 1989. The SNS is a populist, ultra-nationalist, anti-ethnic Hungarian, anti-Roma and anti-Islamist party. It signed a memorandum on friendship and co-operation in Bratislava on 4 July 2011 with the Austrian Freedom Party (FPÖ), which reiterated their anti-immigration stance and opposition to the Islamisation of Europe.

Leader: **Ján Slota**, 1994-1999 and again since 2003

■ Website: [www.sns.sk](http://www.sns.sk) and [www.facebook.com/stranasns](https://www.facebook.com/stranasns)

### The Genocide at Srebrenica

At the end of the World War II Bosnia-Herzegovina became part of the communist Federal Republic of Yugoslavia under Joseph Tito. After Tito died in 1980 the successor rotating federal presidency was unable to contain the growing nationalist movements within the six constituent republics of Yugoslavia and the country began to disintegrate. Slovenia and Croatia declared their independence from Yugoslavia in June 1991. Bosnia-Herzegovina declared its independence on 1 March 1992, which was supported by the Bosnian Muslims and Croats but rejected by the ethnic Serbs. Fighting broke out in March 1992 between the pro-independence Muslims and Bosnian Serbs who wanted to merge with the Serbian republic to form a 'Greater Serbia'. The Bosnian Serbs declared their own 'Republika Srpska' (RS) in August 1992.

Fighting intensified in 1995, climaxing in a landgrab during the final months of the Bosnian war. Bosnian Serb forces overran the UN 'safe areas' of Zepa and Srebrenica in July, and under the command of General Ratko Mladic massacred more than 8,000 fleeing Bosnian Muslim men and boys between 11-22 July 1995.

The genocide has been described as the worst crime on European soil since the Second World War.

The Dayton Peace Accord was signed on 14 December 1995 which agreed to preserve Bosnia-Herzegovina as a single state and for the deployment of a NATO-led force to take over from UN forces.

Biljana Plavsic, the former President of Republika Srpska, was sentenced in February 2003 to 11 years' imprisonment for crimes against humanity. His unofficial Spokesman from 1994-1995 was Dr Serge (aka Srdja) Trifkovi, currently a US-based, Serbian historian and prominent Counter-Jihadist who attended the 2008 and 2009 annual *Counter-Jihad* conferences in Europe.





### Alianza Nacional (AN) National Alliance

Founded as the successor to the Alianza por la Unidad Nacional (AUN) (Alliance for National Unity). The AN is a neo-fascist and anti-immigration party.

President: **Pedro Pablo Peña**

■ Website: [www.alianzanacional.es](http://www.alianzanacional.es)

### España 2000 (E2000)

Founded 2002. E2000 is a fascist, populist, nationalist and anti-immigration party. It campaigns against the construction of new mosques. It received 20,000 votes in last round of local elections and has 5 councillors in Valencia and Madrid towns

President: **José Luis Roberto**

■ Website: [www.esp2000.org](http://www.esp2000.org)

### Eurabian News

Founded November 2005 as an anti-Islamist blog, though its last posts were in December 2010.

■ Website: [www.noticiasdeeurabia.wordpress.com](http://www.noticiasdeeurabia.wordpress.com)

### Islam Radio

It claims to be the world's first anti-Islam online radio station.

Founder: **Imran Firasat** (Spanish-based Pakistani former Muslim and founder, Mundo Sin Islam – World Without Islam)

■ Website: [www.islamradio.es/english/index.php](http://www.islamradio.es/english/index.php)

### Islamisation of Europe Eurabia

Run by **Monmar Martín** (aka **Montse Martín Lahoz** (Monmar))

■ Website: [www.alianzacivilizaciones.blogspot.co.uk](http://www.alianzacivilizaciones.blogspot.co.uk)

### Minuto Digital (MD)

Founded 2004 as a neo-conservative website. MD is linked to the far-right España y Libertad, led by Yolanda Couceiro. It is anti-Islamist and boasts over 600,000 hits a month.

Editor/Director: **Juan José Armas**

Prominent activists: **Juan José González** and **Javier Muñoz**

■ Website: [www.minutodigital.com](http://www.minutodigital.com)



### Movimiento Social Republicano (MSR) Republican Social Movement

Founded 30 November 1999. The MSR is a neo-nazi, anti-immigration party. Though anti-Islamist, it is strongly pro-Palestinian. It publishes *Tribuna de Europa* and *Libertad*.

■ Website: <http://www.msr.org.es>

### Mundo Sin Islam World Without Islam

An anti-Islamic website, Mundo Sin Islam is the work of a former Pakistani former Muslim. As well as campaigning against Islam, the website calls for a halt to all Muslim immigration into Europe.

Founder: **Imran Firasat** (Spanish-based Pakistani former Muslim and founder, Islam Radio)

■ Website: [www.mundosinislam.com/english](http://www.mundosinislam.com/english)

### Plataforma per Catalunya (PxC)

Founded 5 April 2002, PxC is a fascist Catalan party which describes itself as 'identitarian' as opposed to nationalist. It is anti-immigration and anti-Islamist. PxC has close links with Bloc Identitaire (BI) in France and Vlaams Belang (VB) in Belgium and is backed by the Austrian Freedom Party FPÖ and the millionaire racist and anti-Islamist Patrik Brinkmann.

Founder and President: **Josep Anglada**.

■ Website: [www.pxcatalunya.com](http://www.pxcatalunya.com)







## Europe / Sweden



### Nationaldemokraterna (ND) National Democrats

Founded October 2001 as a breakaway from the Sweden Democrats (SD). The ND is a fascist, anti-immigration, antisemitic and anti-Islamist party. In 2001 it ran an "Islam in Sweden – Jihad against the People's Homes" campaign and claimed to be the first party in Sweden to warn of the dangers of Islam.

Leader: **Marc Abramsson**. Abramsson was sentenced to 18 months' imprisonment for assault and rioting in Stockholm in 2003.

■ Website: [www.nd.se](http://www.nd.se)

### Anti-Islamiseringsfonden Anti-Islamisation Foundation

Run by the Sweden Democrats Kent and Ted Ekeröth. The purpose is to collect funds to organise events and seminars about Islamisation.

Co-founders: **Kent Ekeröth** (Sweden Democrats MP) and **Ted Ekeröth** (Sweden Democrats) ([www.tedekeroth.se](http://www.tedekeroth.se))

■ Website: <http://www.antiislamiseringsfonden.se>

### Avpixlat (AP)

Founded October 2008 originally as *Politisk Inkorrekt* (PI). It was renamed *Avpixlat* (AP) on 23 October 2011 after the pixels disguising the faces of criminals. AP is an alternative media blog, and is anti-Islamist. It works closely with Kent Ekeröth (Sweden Democrats MP)

■ Website: [www.avpixlat.info](http://www.avpixlat.info)

### Svenska Forum mot Islamisering (FOMI) Swedish Forum against Islamisation

A blog that opposes the Islamisation of Sweden. FOMI is linked to the Sweden Democrats (SD). It describes itself as the "sister blog" to [www.imittsverige.blogspot.com](http://www.imittsverige.blogspot.com) but now it appears defunct.

Run by a man using the alias **Reinhard** (who addressed the inaugural *Counter-Jihad* conference in Brussels on 18 October 2007)

■ Website: [www.avpixlat.info](http://www.avpixlat.info)



### Sverigedemokraterna (SD) Sweden Democrats

Founded 6 February 1988. The SD is a populist, nationalist, anti-immigration and anti-Islamist party. It adopted an anti-Islamist stance in the late 1990s. The SD claims 6,000 members. It publishes the *SD-Kuriren*.

In the 2010 General Election the Swedish Democrats polled 5.7% and won 20 parliamentary seats. This was the first time they had crossed the threshold needed to win parliamentary seats.

In 2010 the Swedish Democrats hosted a meeting on the threat of Islam addressed by Alan Ayling (aka Alan Lake).

Leader: **Jimmie Åkesson** (who addressed a Danish Free Press Society conference in Copenhagen on 27 November 2010), since 2005

International Secretary: **Kent Ekeröth MP** (co-founder, Anti-Islamisation Foundation)

■ Website: [www.sverigedemokraterna.se](http://www.sverigedemokraterna.se)



Swedish ND rally in cooperation with nazi organisation "Försvarskåren Sveriges självförsvar" (Swedish self defence) against the opening of a mosque in Hisingen in Gothenburg in May 2011. In front with anti-mosque T-shirt is Daniel Spansk who later left the ND and now represents nazi "Svenskarnas Parti" (The Swedes' Party) as its first local councillor. Photo: David Lagerlöf/Expo.



### Swedish Defence League (SDL)

Founded 2011. Members of the Swedish Defence League attended the EDL demonstration in Luton in February 2011. Several SDL supporters were at the Defence League demonstration in Aarhus, Denmark, in March 2012. The democratic magazine *Expo* reported that the SDL speaker at the event, Isak Nygren, arrived alone. "The SDL appears not to be a particularly large or well organised organisation."

The EDL leader Stephen Lennon announced at the Aarhus demonstration that the next Defence League demonstration would be organised by the SDL in Malmö.

Spokesman: **Isak Nygren** (who addressed the Aarhus rally).

■ Website: [www.swedish-defence-league.se/](http://www.swedish-defence-league.se/)



### Swedish Free Press Society

Founded 31 January 2012 at a meeting in Malmö attended by just over 100 people. Speaking at the event were Hans Rustad from Norway, Lars Hedegaard and Mikael Jalving from Denmark and Gunnar Sandelin and Ingrid Carlqvist from Sweden.

Also there was Swedish artist Lars Vilks, who caused an outcry amongst many Muslims after he drew a cartoon of Muhammad as a dog. There have been two alleged plots to kill Vilks and in May 2010 he was assaulted while giving a lecture in Uppsala. A few days later his house was attacked by arsonists.

Lars Hedegaard railed against multiculturalism. "As we can see in city after city and country after country, multiculturalism and cultural relativity have created problems so vast that politicians no longer know how to solve them. Angela Merkel has admitted that the multicultural utopia is off the table and so have David Cameron and Nicolas Sarkozy. But if they cannot solve the problems, they can at least try to prevent people from speaking about them.

The results, said Hedegaard, was laws against 'racism' and 'hate speech'.

"Some people are being punished for saying what the specifically favoured – those defined as 'weak' or righteous – can utter with impunity. In fact, the most favoured can say pretty much whatever they want."

Organiser: **Ingrid Carlqvist** (journalist)



Isak Nygren addresses the Aarhus rally Photo *Expo*



## Ingrid Carlqvist

Journalist and founder of the Swedish Free Press Society.

In an interview with the *Jihad Watch* website in February 2012 she said: "I think we must realise that Islam is one of the greatest threats to free speech in the world today." (interviewed on *JihadWatch* website)



## Kent Ekeröth

■ Swedish Democrats (SD) MP and International Secretary, SD.

■ Ekeröth was sacked as an intern at the Swedish embassy in Tel Aviv in November 2006, with Ambassador Robert Rydberg telling Haaretz: This is a very special case because of the fact that he had been active – especially on the Internet – using embassy computers to spread xenophobic, anti-immigrant and anti-Muslim propaganda." Ekeröth disputed this claim.

■ Attended *Counter-Jihad* conference in Copenhagen on 16-17 May 2009.

■ In September 2009 Ekeröth organised an anti-Islamist conference in Malmö with Alan Ayling (aka Alan Lake) giving an hour presentation on the dangers of Islam.

■ Attended European Alliance for Freedom (EAF) conference in Jerusalem, Israel on 7 December 2010.

■ In September 2011 Ekeröth attended an event in Berlin in support of the René Stadtkewitz and his new party Die Freiheit (FREEDOM), a fortnight before the local elections. Also present was Geert Wilders.

■ Addressed European Alliance for Freedom (EAF) conference in Brussels on 10 April 2011 with a speech entitled *A Firm Immigration Policy is Effective*.

■ Addressed Die Freiheit conference in Berlin on 3 September 2011

■ Board member, European Foundation for Freedom (EFF).

■ Website: [www.kentekeroth.se](http://www.kentekeroth.se)



## Ted Ekeröth

Leading member of the Swedish Democrats (SD) and twin brother of Kent Ekeröth.

■ Attended UK and Scandinavia *Counter-Jihad* summit in Copenhagen on 14 April 2007 and gave a speech about the Swedish Democrats.

■ Addressed inaugural *Counter-Jihad* conference in Brussels on 18 October 2007.

■ Website: [www.tedekeroth.se](http://www.tedekeroth.se)





### Mouvement Suisse Contre L'Islamisation (MOSCI)

President: **David Vaucher** (author, *Vérités sur L'Islam*, MOSCI, February 2009)

■ Website: [www.mosci.info](http://www.mosci.info)



### Schweizerische Volkspartei (SVP) Swiss People's Party

Founded 23 December 1936 originally as the Bauern-Gewerbe- und Bürgerpartei (BGB). It was renamed the Swiss People's Party (SVP) on 22 September 1971. The SVP is a populist, nationalist, anti-immigration and anti-Islamist party. It has used direct democracy in its campaign against the Islamisation of Switzerland. It led a campaign against the construction of new minarets in Switzerland which was endorsed in a national referendum in November 2009. It claims 90,000 members.

In 2011 the SVP polled 26.6% in national elections, slightly down on the 28.9% it obtained in 2007. However, it remained the largest party in Switzerland.

Leader: **Toni Brunner**, since 2008

■ Website: [www.svp.ch](http://www.svp.ch)

### Swiss Defence League

■ [www.swissdefenceleague.wordpress.com](http://www.swissdefenceleague.wordpress.com)

### Kitman TV

Founded 2009. Kitman TV serves as an online film centre for the international Counter-Jihad movement.

Owner: **Frank Kitman** (pseudonym) (Contributor, *FrontPage Magazine*, and who addressed the 4th annual *Counter-Jihad* conference in Zurich on 12-13 June 2010)



### Alexander Segert

The architect of many of the most provocative anti-Muslim and racist posters produced for the Swiss People's Party. Born in Hamburg, Germany, Segert moved to Switzerland after finishing university. He first worked as a journalist for the conservative *Schweizerzeit* newspaper and later for the anti-Islam newspaper *Bürger*

*und Christ*, or "Citizens and Christ."

In 2007 he created a poster depicting three sheep on a Swiss flag kicking away a single black sheep with the words "create safety." He was also the designer of the poster that accompanied the national referendum against Minarets, which depicted a woman wearing a burka alongside several rockets.

He also created a video game, called *Bye Bye Mosque*, for the Austrian Freedom Party.





### Bat Ye'or (pseudonym 'daughter of the Nile' aka Gisèle Littmannée Orebi)

The ideological leader of the Counter-Jihad movement. Bat Ye'or first used the neologist phrase 'Eurabia' to describe the Islamisation of Europe and the

inevitable conflict between Islam and the West.

Jewish Egyptian-born, Bat Ye'or's family fled Cairo in 1957 following an Israeli attack on Egypt during the 1956 Suez crisis. They arrived in London as stateless refugees but within a year she began studying at the Institute of Archaeology at University College London and the following year became a British citizen through her marriage to historian and human rights advocate David Littman. By 1960 the pair moved to Switzerland, where she continued her studies.

Her early writing focused on the experiences of Jewish people in North Africa but it was her later writing which catapulted her into the international limelight. In 2005 she wrote *Eurabia: The Euro-Arab Axis*, an account of the relationship between Europe, and more specifically what has developed into the European Union, and the Arab world. The basic premise of her book focuses on the roots of Europe's hostility towards the state of Israel and the growing influence of Islam over European culture and politics, which she describes as capitulation, surrender and appeasement. This was the continuation of a theme she had developed in several earlier books she had written between 1985 and 2005.

- Advisory Board member, International Free Press Society (IFPS).
- Addressed inaugural *Counter-Jihad* conference in Brussels on 18 October 2007.
- Addressed Danish Free Press Society/*Islam-Critical Network* conference on *The Fate of Infidels in Muslim-dominated Societies*, in Copenhagen on 26 September 2009.
- Addressed International Free Press Society (IFPS) – Canada conference in London, Ontario on 2 June 2010.

Author:

*The Dhimmi: Jews and Christians Under Islam* (Fairleigh Dickinson University Press, 1985) *The Decline of Eastern Christianity Under Islam: From Jihad to Dhimmitude 7th-20th Century* (Fairleigh Dickinson University Press, 1996) *Islam and Dhimmitude: Where Civilizations Collide* (Fairleigh Dickinson University Press, 2002) *Eurabia: The Euro-Arab Axis* (Fairleigh Dickinson University Press, 2005) *Europe, Globalization and the Coming Universal Caliphate* (Fairleigh Dickinson University Press, 2011)

([www.dhimmitude.org](http://www.dhimmitude.org) and [www.dhimmi.org](http://www.dhimmi.org))



### Oskar Freysinger

A Swiss People's Party (SVP) MP.

- Advisory Board member, Stop Islamization of Nations, since 2012.
- Led a campaign in 2008 against the construction of new minarets in Switzerland, which was endorsed in a national referendum
- Addressed Bloc Identitaire (BI) *International Congress on the Islamisation of Europe* in Paris on 18 December 2010.

Photo: <http://commons.wikimedia.org/wiki/User:Rama>

### The Swiss anti-minarets campaign

In 2009 the Swiss People's Party (SVP) and the Federal Democratic Union (FDU) succeeded in winning a referendum outlawing minarets on mosques. It was the culmination of a campaign that they had launched on 1 May 2007.

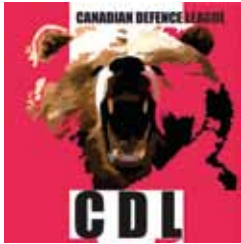
And this was despite Muslims making up only 5.7 per cent of the Swiss population and there only being four minarets in the country.

This racist initiative, now enshrined in the Swiss constitution, initially took the form of a petition – signed by 113,540 Swiss citizens – and, later, in a referendum held on 25 November 2009 was supported by 57.5 of Swiss voters.

All but four of the country's twenty-six cantons voted for the ban, causing the words "The building of minarets is forbidden" to be added to Article 72 of the constitution and giving it the status of law.

The controversy over minarets began in 2005 with a row over a planning application for the erection of a 6 metre high minaret on a Turkish cultural centre in the small town of Wangen bei Otten. Though the application was subsequently granted, the SVP and FDU launched a ferocious campaign – strongly opposed by the Roman Catholic Church, the Lutheran Church, Switzerland's Jewish communities, trades unions and civil rights organisations among others.

The anti-minaret campaign has served to embolden those wanting further anti-Muslim measures. Though the Swiss federal government rejected pressure, in 2009, to place regulations on the wearing of full-face veils in Switzerland, there was no let-up in the Islamophobic campaign. This was given additional impetus by an opinion poll conducted in May 2010 for *SontagsBlick* which claimed the majority of Swiss citizens favour banning full-face veils.



### Canadian Defence League (CDL)

Founded 2011 as a sister organisation of the English Defence League (EDL).

■ Website: [www.facebook.com/pages/canadian-defence-league/196328817044491?sk=info](https://www.facebook.com/pages/canadian-defence-league/196328817044491?sk=info)

### International Free Press Society (IFPS) – Canada

Founded 2010 as a non-party organisation to promote and defend freedom of speech in Canada.

President: **Bjørn Larsen** (Treasurer, International Free Press Society)

Vice-President: **Marylou Ambrogio**

■ Website: [www.ifpscanada.com](http://www.ifpscanada.com)

### Jewish Defense League (JDL) of Canada

The Canadian arm of the Jewish Defense League (JDL), a fascist organisation established in 1968 by the late Rabbi Meir Kahane (1932-1975). It organised a solidarity rally for Geert Wilders in Toronto on 20 January 2010.

National Director: **Meir Weinstein**

■ Website: [www.jdl-canada.com](http://www.jdl-canada.com) and [www.jdlcanada.wordpress.com](http://www.jdlcanada.wordpress.com)

### Stop Islamization of Canada (SIOC)

Founded 2010. SIOC is not affiliated to the SIOE network.

■ Website: [www.facebook.com/pages/sioc-stop-islamization-of-canada/113065962075296](https://www.facebook.com/pages/sioc-stop-islamization-of-canada/113065962075296)

### Vlad Tepes

A Counter-Jihad blogsite, named after Vlad the Impaler (aka Vlad III Dracula) (1431-1476), folk hero of the Romanians, who campaigned against the expansion of the Ottoman Empire.

It promotes the writings of Fjordman and attacks Islam as a religion, comparing it to Nazism and Communism.

■ Website: [www.vladtepesblog.com](http://www.vladtepesblog.com)

### Bjørn Larsen

President, International Free Press Society (IFPS) – Canada

Treasurer, International Free Press Society (IFPS), since 2009.

Addressed Jewish Defense League (JDL) of Canada solidarity rally for Geert Wilders in Toronto on 20 January 2010.



### Ezra Levant

Lawyer, journalist and conservative political activist. ([www.ezralevant.com](http://www.ezralevant.com))

Columnist, Sun Media chain of newspapers and talk-show host, *The Source*, Sun News Network, since 2010.

Co-founder and former Publisher, Alberta-based *Western Standard*

(WS) fortnightly magazine, which in February 2006 reprinted some of the controversial cartoons depicting the Prophet Muhammad originally published in the Danish *Jyllands-Posten* newspaper in 2005.

Advisory Board member, Stop Islamization of Nations (SION), since 2012.

Advisory Board member, International Free Press Society (IFPS).

Addressed IFPS – Canada meeting in London, Ontario on 8 May 2011.

Addressed Stop Islamization of America (SIOA) annual 9/11 *Freedom Rally* in New York on 11 September 2011.

Author: *Shakedown: How Our Government is Undermining Democracy in the Name of Human Rights* (McClelland and Stewart, 2009)

### Dr Ali Sina (pseudonym)

Iranian-born, Canadian-based, exile and former Muslim turned Christian convert. ([www.alisina.org](http://www.alisina.org))

Founder and head, Faith Freedom International (FFI), since 2001.

Advisory Board member, Stop Islamization of Nations (SION), since 2012.

Advisory Board member, Former Muslims United (FMU).

Co-founder, *Islam Watch*, in 2005.

Co-founder, Apostates of Islam (AoI) ([www.apostatesofislam.com](http://www.apostatesofislam.com))

Author: *Understanding Muhammad and Muslims: A Psychobiography of Allah's Prophet* (LuLu, 2007 and 6<sup>th</sup> edition, 2012)





## North America / USA



### ACT! for America

Founded 2004 originally as the United American Committee (UAC). It was renamed ACT! for America in 2007. The Pensacola, Florida-based ACT! is a single-issue, grassroots national security campaigning organisation. ACT! campaigns against the introduction of Sharia law and the Islamisation of America. It supports the Coalition to Stop Shariah (CSS). It claims 170,000 members worldwide in 630 local chapters across the United States and in twelve other countries. ACT! organises an annual national conference to which leading activists and ideologues in the Counter-Jihad movement are invited.

The UAC organised a national *Rally Against Islamofascism Day* (RAID) at 'Grand Zero', New York on 1 February 2006 and 31 March 2007. ACT! for America launched a *Stop Shariah Now* campaign in 2009 to increase public awareness of the perceived threat of creeping Sharia law into the United States. ACT! works closely with the American Public Policy Alliance (APPA), the Centre for Security Policy (CSP), Stop Islamization of America (SIOA) and the Tea Party movement.

Co-founder and President: **Brigitte Gabriel** (President, ACT! for America Education)

Co-founder: **Jesse Petrilla**

Executive Director: **Guy Rogers** (former National Field Director, Christian Coalition)

■ Website: [www.actforamerica.org](http://www.actforamerica.org) and [www.facebook.com/actforamerica](http://www.facebook.com/actforamerica)

### ACT! for America Education

Founded June 2002 originally as American Congress for Truth (ACT). It was renamed ACT! for America Education in 2011. The Pensacola, Florida-based ACT! is a neo-conservative organisation which campaigns against radical Islam. It is a sister organisation of ACT! for America. ACT! organised a *Radical Islam's Threat to America* webcast conference on 7 November 2009 addressed by leading Counter-Jihadist activists.

Founder and President: **Brigitte Gabriel** (President, ACT! for America)

Executive Director: **Guy Rogers** (former National Field Director, Christian Coalition)

■ Website: [www.actforamericaeducation.org](http://www.actforamericaeducation.org)



### American Center for Law and Justice (ACLJ)

Founded 1990 as a conservative Christian law firm to act as a counterweight to the American Civil Liberties Union (ACLU). The Washington DC-based ACLJ is a grassroots campaigning organisation, which began to campaign in 2011 against the encroachment of Sharia law into the US legal system and courts. It has pledged its support to states that need help in drafting 'anti-Sharia' legislation. The ACLJ published the pamphlet *Shari'ah Law: Radical Islam's Threat to the US Constitution* (2011) and released documentary video film *The Export: Radical Islam's Map to the End of Democracy* (2011). It claims one million members. The ACLJ established a European Center for Law and Justice (ECLJ) in Strasbourg in 1997.

Co-founder: **Pat Robertson** (Televangelist; founder: Christian Broadcasting Network and the Christian Coalition, and former Baptist minister)

Co-founder and Chief Counsel: **Jay A. Sekulow** (lawyer; Messianic Jew and host, *Jay Sekulow! Live* radio talk-show, since 1995, and who addressed the Stop Islamization of America inaugural 9/11 *Freedom Rally* in New York on 11 September 2011 and the Tennessee Freedom Coalition *The Constitution or Sharia: Preserving Freedom* conference in Nashville, Tennessee on 11 November 2011)

Senior Counsel: **David French** (who addressed the Faith and Freedom Coalition annual conference in June 2011 and Tennessee Freedom Coalition *The Constitution or Sharia: Preserving Freedom* conference in Nashville, Tennessee on 11 November 2011)

■ Website: [www.aclj.org](http://www.aclj.org)



### American Defense League (ADL)

Founded 3 June 2010 by **Walter Brown**.

■ Website: [www.theamericandefenceleague.org](http://www.theamericandefenceleague.org)



### American Freedom Defense Initiative (AFDI)

Founded January 2010 as an umbrella Counter-Jihadist campaigning organisation. The New York-based AFDI campaigns against the introduction of Sharia law and the Islamisation of the United States. It organised a *Jihad: The Political Third Rail – What They Aren't Telling You* meeting at the American Conservative Union's annual CPAC conference in Washington DC on 19 February 2010. The AFDI has co-organised since 2010 an annual *9/11 Freedom Rally* in New York on the anniversary of 9/11. It released the 87-minute documentary film *The Ground Zero Mosque: Second Wave of the 9/11 Attacks* in February 2011. AFDI works closely with Stop Islamization of America (SIOA) and the *Atlas Shrugs* and *Jihad Watch* blogs. The AFDI is listed as a 'hate group' by the Southern Poverty Law Centre (SPLC).

Co-founder and Executive Director: **Pamela L. Geller** (President, Stop Islamization of the World and Executive Director, Stop Islamization of America)

Co-founder and Associate Director: **Robert B. Spencer** (Vice-President, Stop Islamization of Nations; Associate Director, Stop Islamization of America, and Director, *Jihad Watch*)

Co-founder: **John Joseph Jay** (lawyer and board member, Stop Islamization of America)

■ Website: [www.freedomdefense.typepad.com](http://www.freedomdefense.typepad.com)



### American Freedom Law Center (AFLC)

Founded January 2011 as a conservative Judeo-Christian law firm. The Arizona-based AFLC campaigns for faith and freedom and against 'civilization jihad'. It works closely with the American Freedom Defense Initiative (AFDI).

Co-founder and Senior Counsel: **Robert J. Muise** (Senior Trial Counsel, Thomas More Law Center)

Co-founder: **David Yerushalmi** (lawyer and President, Society of Americans for National Existence)

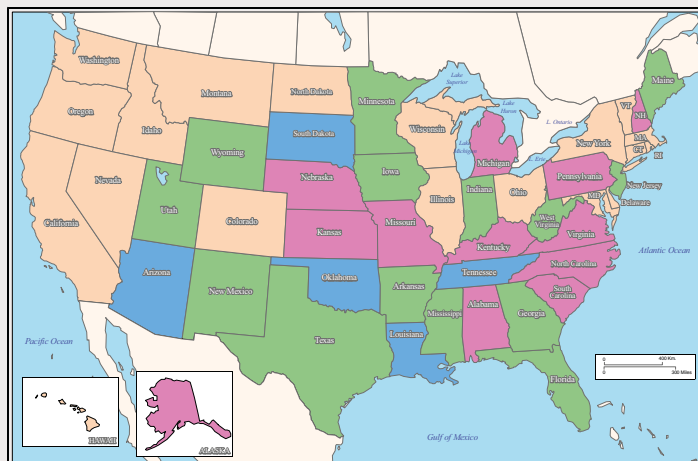
Advisory Board members include:

**Frank J. Gaffney Jr.** (President, Center for Security Policy)

**Andrew C. McCarthy** (Senior Fellow, National Review Institute and Contributing Editor, *National Review Online*)

■ Website: [www.americanfreedomlawcenter.org](http://www.americanfreedomlawcenter.org)

### The 'anti-Sharia' Movement's Legislative Initiatives in the United States



At its height in 2011 'anti-Sharia' legislation had been introduced in 25 US state legislatures. While some of these have now failed and others meeting strong resistance there are five states which have adopted anti-Sharia legislation and a further 12 where legislation has been introduced or is pending.

Here is the current state of play as of May 2012:

#### 1. Enacted

'Anti-Sharia' legislation, modelled on the American Laws for American Courts (ALAC) Act drafted by David Yerushalmi, has been enacted into law in five US states:

**Tennessee** (27 May 2010)

**Louisiana** (2 July 2010)

**Oklahoma** (an anti-Sharia constitutional amendment approved by voters on 2 November 2010 was declared unconstitutional on 10 January 2012 by two federal courts),

**Arizona** (12 April 2011)

**South Dakota** (12 March 2012)



## American Islamic Forum for Democracy (AIFD)

Founded March 2003. The Phoenix, Arizona-based AIFD think-tank supports the Coalition to Stop Shariah (CSS).

Founder and President: **Dr M. Zuhi Jasser** (President, American Islamic Leadership Coalition [www.americanislamicleadership.org](http://www.americanislamicleadership.org) and advisory board member, Clarion Fund)

■ Website: [www.aifdemocracy.org](http://www.aifdemocracy.org)

## American Public Policy Alliance (APPA)

Founded 2009 as a conservative campaigning organisation. The Michigan-based APPA campaigns against the introduction of Sharia law into the United States. It is a coalition between Brigitte Gabriel's Act! for America, Frank J. Gaffney Jr.'s Center for Security Policy (CSP), Dr Daniel Pipes's Middle East Forum (MEF) and David Yerushalmi's Society of Americans for National Existence (SANE). It launched a state-level legislative initiative in 2010, known as American Laws for American Courts (ALAC), which is based on model 'anti-Sharia' legislation drafted by David Yerushalmi, to prevent the incursion of foreign laws, especially Sharia (Islamic law), into the US legal court system at federal, state and local level. The ALAC Act has been enacted since 2010 in five states (Tennessee, Louisiana, Oklahoma, South Dakota and Arizona) and introduced in many others.

Spokesman: **Stephen M. Gelé**

■ Website: [www.publicpolicyalliance.org](http://www.publicpolicyalliance.org)

## American Thinker

Founded November 2003 as a conservative online daily magazine. The El Cerrito, California-based website and blog principally covers national security issues. It regularly posts articles from some of the most prominent Counter-Jihadist activists in the United States.

Founder: **Thomas Lifson**

Its Contributors include:

**Andrew G. Bostom** (advisory board member, International Free Press Society (IFPS))

**Dr Michael Savage** (aka **Michael Weiner**) is a conservative political commentator and host of the *Savage Nation* radio-talk show ([www.michaelsavage.wnd.com](http://www.michaelsavage.wnd.com)) and author of *The Savage Nation*, WND Books, 2003. He was banned from entering the United Kingdom by the then British Home Secretary on 5 May 2009 for "fostering hatred". The ban has remained in force under the UK present coalition government)

**Robert B. Spencer** (Vice-President, Stop Islamization of Nations; Associate Director: Stop Islamization of America and American Freedom Defense Initiative, and Director, *Jihad Watch*).

■ Website: [www.americanthinker.com](http://www.americanthinker.com)

## Atlas Shrugs

Founded 2004 as an anti-Islamist blog. It is named after the novel *Atlas Shrugged* by right-wing novelist and philosopher Ayn Rand, published in 1957. The New York-based website was once branded a 'hate site' by PayPal.

Founder, Publisher and Editor: **Pamela L. Geller** (President, Stop Islamization of Nations; Executive Director: American Freedom Defense Initiative and Stop Islamization of America)

■ Website: [www.atlsshugs2000.typepad.com](http://www.atlsshugs2000.typepad.com)



### 2. Introduced or Pending

'Anti-Sharia' bills are scheduled to be introduced or under consideration (currently pending) in 12 US state legislatures:

**Alaska**

**Alabama**

**Kansas** (a bill was passed in May 2012 by both houses of the state legislature and is awaiting the signature of the Governor)

**Kentucky**

**Michigan**

**Missouri**

**Nebraska**

**New Hampshire**

**North Carolina**

**Pennsylvania**

**South Carolina**

**Virginia**

### 3. Failed

'Anti-Sharia' bills have been introduced but failed to be enacted in 14 US states since 2010:

**Arkansas** (withdrawn 2011)

**Florida** (withdrawn 2012)

**Georgia** (died 2012)

**Indiana** (likely to die or be withdrawn in 2012)

**Iowa** (likely to die or be withdrawn in 2012)

**Maine** (withdrawn 2011)

**Minnesota** (withdrawn 2012)

**Mississippi** (died 2012)

**New Mexico** (died 2012)

**New Jersey** (withdrawn 2012)

**Texas** (withdrawn 2011)

**Utah** (withdrawn 2010)

**West Virginia** (died 2012)

**Wyoming** (withdrawn 2011)





### Center for Security Policy (CSP)

Founded 1988 as a national security think-tank. The Washington DC-based CSP campaigns against Sharia law and the Islamisation of the United States. It has played a prominent role in recent years in the Counter-Jihadist movement in the United States. The CSP supports the Coalition to Stop Shariah (CSS).

The CSP has:

- run the *Shariah Awareness Project* since 2007.
- launched the *Shariah Finance Watch* ([www.shariafinancewatch.org](http://www.shariafinancewatch.org)) project/blog.
- co-ordinated the launch on 6 November 2008 of a national grassroots Coalition to Stop Shariah in the United States (CSS) ([www.usastopshariah.wordpress.com](http://www.usastopshariah.wordpress.com)).
- founded and funded the Coalition to Honor Ground Zero's *Stop the 9/11 mosque at Ground Zero* ([www.stopthe911mosque.com](http://www.stopthe911mosque.com)) website in 2010, which opposed the planned Park51 Islamic community centre near 'Ground Zero' in New York.
- published the 172-page report, *Shariah: The Threat to America – An Exercise in Competitive Analysis Report of Team B II* ([www.shariahthethreat.org](http://www.shariahthethreat.org)) in September 2010.
- published *Shariah Law and American State Courts: An Assessment of State Appellate Court Cases* ([www.shariahinamericancourts.com](http://www.shariahinamericancourts.com)) in May 2011.

The CSP has funded research for books published by Paul David Gaubatz (who addressed the inaugural meeting of Stop Islamization of America in Washington DC on 25 September 2009 and co-author, *Muslim Mafia: Inside the Secret Underworld That's Conspiring to Islamize America*, WorldNetDaily Books, 2009) and Paul Sperry (author, *Infiltration: How Muslim Spies and Subversives Have Penetrated Washington*, Thomas Nelson, 2005 and co-author, *Muslim Mafia: Inside the Secret Underworld That's Conspiring to Islamize America*, WND Books, 2009).

Founder and President: **Frank J. Gaffney Jr.** (nominated Assistant Secretary of Defense for International Security Policy, in 1987)

Chief Operating Officer: **Christine Brim** (Chief Executive, International Civil Liberties Alliance and Secretary, International Free Press Society)

General Counsel: **David Yerushalmi** (lawyer and President, Society of Americans for National Existence)

Senior Fellow for Middle Eastern Affairs: **Caroline B. Glick** (Deputy Managing Editor, *The Jerusalem Post* and advisory board member, Endowment for Middle East Truth)

Senior Fellow: **Clare M. Lopez** (advisory board member, Clarion Fund)

- Website: [www.centerforsecuritypolicy.org](http://www.centerforsecuritypolicy.org)



### Center for the Study of Political Islam (CSPI)

Based in Nashville, Tennessee.

Director: **Bill French** (aka **Bill Warner**) (Founder: Political Islam [www.politicalislam.com](http://www.politicalislam.com); author, *Sharia Law for Non-Muslims*, CSPI, 2010 and who addressed the Tennessee Freedom Coalition *A Warning to America* conference in Nashville, Tennessee on 12 May 2011 and the TFC *The Constitution or Sharia: Preserving Freedom* conference in Nashville, on 11 November 2011). French led opposition to the proposed construction of a new mosque in Murfreesboro, Tennessee.

- Website: [www.cspipublishing.com](http://www.cspipublishing.com)

### Christian Action Network (CAN)

Founded 1990 as a conservative Christian right national grassroots campaigning organisation. The Forest, Virginia-based, CAN campaigns against radical Islam in the West. It has produced several anti-Islamist film documentary DVDs: *Homegrown Jihad: The Terrorist Camps Around the US* (2009), *Islam Rising: Geert Wilders' Warning to the West* (2010) and *Sacrificed Survivors: The Untold Story of the Ground Zero Mega-Mosque* (2010). The CAN's latest documentary film *Eurabia: Islam in Europe* DVD is due for release in 2012. It claims over 250,000 members.

Founder and President: **Martin Mawyer** (former Editor, Jerry Falwell's *Moral Majority Report* and who organised a meeting in Canary Wharf, London in August 2009 with Counter-Jihadist activists from Britain and the United States, which included interviewing three representatives of the English Defence League, for a CAN documentary on the Islamisation of Europe, due for release in 2012)

Project Manager: **Jason Campbell** (attended a meeting in Canary Wharf, London in August 2009 with Counter-Jihadist activists from Britain and the United States while working on a CAN documentary on the Islamisation of Europe)

- Website: [www.christianaction.org](http://www.christianaction.org)

### Christian Broadcasting Network (CBN)

Founded 11 January 1961 as a Christian fundamentalist television broadcasting network. Virginia Beach, Virginia-based.

Founder and Chairman: **Pat Robertson** (multimillionaire Televangelist [www.patrobertson.com](http://www.patrobertson.com); founder, Christian Coalition; co-founder, American Center for Law and Justice and former Baptist minister)

- [www.cbn.com](http://www.cbn.com)



## Clarion Fund

Founded 2006 to educate Americans on issues of national security, in particular radical Islam. It runs the RadicalIslam.org (www.radicalislam.org) website. In collaboration with the Jerusalem-based Honest Reporting media watchdog, it has produced two films, *Obsession: Radical Islam's War Against the West* (www.obsessionthemovie.com) (2005) and *The Third Jihad: Radical Islam's Vision for America* (www.thethirdjihad.com) (2008). A staggering 28 million copies of the first DVD were distributed across twenty-eight swing states ahead of the US Presidential election in 2008. *Obsession* was cited in the Norwegian mass murderer Anders Breivik's manifesto posted online on 22 July 2011.

Founder and Executive Director: **Rabbi Raphael Shore** (Canadian-born, Israeli film Producer: *Obsession* and *The Third Jihad* DVDs)

The Fund's Advisory Board members include:

**Frank J. Gaffney Jr.** (President, Council for Security Policy), since 2010

**Dr M. Zuhdi Jasser** (President, American Islamic Forum for Democracy and narrator, *The Third Jihad* DVD), since 2010

**Clare M. Lopez** (Senior Fellow, Center for Security Policy and advisory board member, International Free Press Society)

**Dr Daniel Pipes** (President, Middle East Forum), since 2010

**Dr Walid Phares** (Terrorism expert)

**Sarah N. Stern** (President, Endowment for Middle East Truth)

■ Website: www.clarionfund.org

## Coalition for the Defense of Human Rights (CDHR)

Founded 1993 as an international civil rights umbrella coalition representing various non-Muslim minority religious and ethnic communities in countries across the Islamic world. A European division of the CDHR was launched in Geneva in March 2005. CDHR runs the *Dhimmi* (www.Dhimmi.com) online project. The CDHR publishes the *Journal for the Study of Dhimmitude* (JSD), whose Editorial Board members include **Bat Ye'or** (author and developer of the concept of 'Eurabia')

Secretary-General: **Rev. Dr Keith Roderick** (Episcopal priest and Christian Solidarity International representative in Washington DC, and who addressed the Tennessee Freedom Coalition *The Constitution or Sharia: Preserving Freedom* conference in Nashville, Tennessee on 11 November 2011)

Board of Advisors member: **Dr Walid Phares** (Terrorism expert)



## David Horowitz Freedom Center (DHFC)

Founded 1988 originally as the Center for the Study of Popular Culture (CSPC). It was renamed the David Horowitz Freedom Center (DHFC) in July 2006. The California-based conservative foundation campaigns against the introduction of Sharia law and the Islamisation of the United States. The DHFC publishes the neo-conservative online magazine, *FrontPage Magazine* (FPM) (www.frontpagemagazine.com) and runs the *NewsRealBlog* (NRB) (www.newsrealblog.com). It funds the activities of *Jihad Watch*, run by Robert B. Spencer. The DHFC supported Geert Wilders (Leader, Dutch Party for Freedom) in 2010.

The DHFC has also:

■ launched *DiscoverTheNetworks* (DTN): *A Guide to the Political Left* (www.discoverthenetworks.org), in 2003.

■ organised an annual *Islamofascism Awareness Week* (IFAW) since 22-26 October 2007 on hundreds of university and college campuses across the United States.

■ launched the Terrorism Awareness Project (TAP) (www.terrorismawareness.org), in 2008, which produced *The Islamic Mein Kampf* (www.terrorismawareness/islamic-mein-kampf) video.

Founder and Chief Executive: **David J. Horowitz** (millionaire journalist)

Shillman Journalism Fellow: **Bruce Bawer** (American literary critic)

■ Website: www.horowitzfreedomcenter.org

## Eagle Forum (EF)

Founded 1972 as a grassroots conservative religious right organisation. The Illinois-based EF campaigns against the introduction of Sharia law and the Islamisation of the United States. It works closely with Act! for America, Centre for Security Policy (CSP) and the Tennessee Freedom Coalition (TFC). The EF publishes the monthly *Phyllis Schlafly Report*. It claims 80,000 members in state-based chapters.

Founder and President: **Phyllis Schlafly** (lawyer and founder member, Council for National Policy)

■ Website: www.eagleforum.org

Pam Geller repeatedly accuses Obama of being a Muslim: Geller's blog contains 267 posts tagged "Muslim in the White House?"



### Endowment for Middle East Truth (EMET)

Founded 2006 as a neo-conservative think-tank. The organisation's acronym EMET, means *truth* in Hebrew. The Washington DC-based EMET seeks to inspire an 'intellectual revolution' and educate the political class in the United States about the perceived dangers of radical Islam. It supports the Coalition to Stop Shariah (CSS). EMET co-operated with the Clarion Fund in the distribution of the 80-minute *Obsession: Radical Islam's War Against the West* (2008) film documentary DVD in 2008. It bestows annual *Speaker of the Truth Awards* to those who speak out against radical Islam. EMET works closely with the Center for Security Policy (CSP).

Founder and President: **Sarah N. Stern** (advisory board member, Clarion Fund; board member, Voice of the Copts; former national policy co-ordinator, Zionist Organization of America, 1998-2004 and Editor, *Saudi Arabia and the Global Islamic Terrorist Network: America and the West's Fatal Embrace*, Palgrave Macmillan, 2011)

EMET's Advisory Board includes:

**Caroline B. Glick** (Deputy Managing Editor, *The Jerusalem Post* and Senior Fellow for Middle Eastern Affairs, Center for Security Policy)

**Dr Rachel Ehrenfeld** (Director, American Center for Democracy and advisory board member, International Free Press Society)

**Frank J. Gaffney** (President, Center for Security Policy)

**Dr Daniel Pipes** (President, Middle East Forum)

**Dr Meyrav Wurmser** (former Executive Director, Middle East Media Research Institute)

Advisor: **Walid Shoebat** (former self-proclaimed PLO terrorist)

Senior Research Fellow: **David 'Kyle' Shideler** (former Public Information Officer, Center for Vigilant Freedom), since 2008

■ Website: [www.emetonline.org](http://www.emetonline.org) and [www.emetonlineblog.com](http://www.emetonlineblog.com)

### Faith and Freedom Coalition (FFC)

Founded 2009 as a Christian conservative/religious right grassroots organisation. The Georgia-based FFC aims to unite and mobilise evangelical and Tea Party movement voters to form a powerful Christian conservative voting bloc. It attempts to influence legislation and public policy at every level of government. The FFC claims over 500,000 members in over 125 local chapters.

Founder and Chairman: **Ralph Reed** (Chairman and Chief Executive, Century Strategies; former Executive Director, Christian Coalition, 1989-1997 and protégé of Pat Robertson)

FFC Board member: **O'Neal Dozier** (publisher, *Judeo-Christian View*, and who filed a lawsuit in 2007 to stop construction of a mosque near the Worlwide Christian Center in Pompano Beach and led a campaign in 2011 to close a mosque in Florida)

■ Website: [www.ffcoalition.com](http://www.ffcoalition.com)



### Family Security Matters (FSM)

Founded 2004 as a project of the Center for Security Policy (CSP) think-tank. The Washington DC-based FSM is a 'national security resource for American families'. It launched the *Eurabia Watch* blog on 8 November 2010. The FSM supports the Coalition to Stop Shariah (CSS).

Founder and President: **Carol A. Taber**

Editor: **Adrian Morgan** (Oslo-based, British writer), since 2010

FSM's Contributing Editors include:

**Daniel L. Adams** (co-founder, Stop Islamization of America)

**Andrew G. Bostom** (advisory board member, International Free Press Society)

**Dr Rachel Ehrenfeld** (Director, American Center for Democracy and advisory board member, International Free Press Society)

**Steven A. Emerson** (Executive Director, Investigative Project on Terrorism)

**Brigitte Gabriel** (President: Act! for America and Act! for America Education)

**Frank J. Gaffney Jr.** (President, Center for Security Policy)

**Caroline B. Glick** (Deputy Managing Editor, *The Jerusalem Post*)

**Dr M. Zuhdi Jasser** (President, American Islamic Forum for Democracy)

**Cliff Kincaid** (Editor, Accuracy in Media and advisory board member, Stop Islamization of Nations)

**Clare M. Lopez** (Senior Fellow, Center for Security Policy)

**Andrew C. McCarthy** (advisory board member, International Free Press Society)

**Dr Walid Phares** (Terrorism expert)

**Dr Daniel Pipes** (President, Middle East Forum)

**Melanie Phillips** (Columnist, *Daily Mail*)

**Nidra Poller** (Paris Editor, *Pajamas Media* and advisory board member, International Free Press Society)

**Diana West** (Co-Vice President, International Free Press Society)

■ Website: [www.familysecuritymatters.org](http://www.familysecuritymatters.org) and [www.familysecuritymatters.org/blog](http://www.familysecuritymatters.org/blog)





## Gates of Vienna (GoV)

Founded 9 October 2004. The Virginia-based blog is named after the Siege of Vienna from 14 July-12 September 1683, when the Christian Habsburg forces halted the advance of the Ottoman Empire. GoV acts as a blog and news service for the counter-Jihad movement, which campaigns against the Islamisation of Europe. It has become a clearing house for information on the Counter-Jihadist movement in Europe and the International Civil Liberties Alliance (ICLA)'s *Counter-Jihad Europa* blog.

Co-founder: **Edward S. May** (aka **Ned May** and **Baron Bodissey**) (a computer programmer).

Co-founder: **Dymphna** (pseudonym used by Edward May's wife)

Regular Contributors include:

**Peder Nøstvold Jensen** (aka **Fjordman**) (Norwegian, Danish-based, Counter-Jihadist blogger)

**Paul Weston** (leader, British Freedom Party)

■ Website: [www.gatesofvienna.blogspot.com](http://www.gatesofvienna.blogspot.com)

## Human Events

Founded 1944 as a conservative weekly magazine. It takes its name from the first sentence of the United States Declaration of Independence. *Human Events* is published in Washington DC by Eagle Publishing (which also owns Regnery Publishing [www.regnery.com](http://www.regnery.com), publisher of numerous anti-Islamist books by Counter-Jihadist activists). It houses *Jihad Watch*, the Counter-Jihadist blog run by Robert B. Spencer.

Columnist: **Robert B. Spencer** (Vice-President, Stop Islamization of Nations; Associate Director: American Freedom Defense Initiative and Stop Islamization of America; and Director, *Jihad Watch*)

■ Website: [www.humanevents.com](http://www.humanevents.com)

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*“The difference, my friends, between Israel and the Arab world is the difference between civilization and barbarism. It’s the difference between good and evil [applause] ... this is what we’re witnessing in the Arabic world, They have no SOUL !, they are dead set on killing and destruction. And in the name of something they call “Allah” which is very different from the God we believe....[applause] because our God is the God of love.”*

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**BRIDGETTE GABRIEL**, CUFI 2007

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## The Intelligence Summit

Founded 2006. The Washington DC-based organisation hosts an annual *Intelligence Summit* on national security, terrorism and jihadist-related issues, for professionals from the network of private intelligence agencies in the United States and abroad.

Founder and President: **John J. Loftus**

Vice-President: **Clare M. Lopez** (Senior Fellow, Center for Security Policy and advisory board member, Clarion Fund)

Advisory Council members include:

**Dr Rachel Ehrenfeld** (Director, American Center for Democracy and advisory board member, International Free Press Society)

**Brigitte Gabriel** (President: Act! for America and Act! for America Education)

**Dr Tawfik Hamid** (President, Global Movement Against Radical Islam and former Egyptian Islamic Jihad terrorist)

**Robert B. Spencer** (Vice-President, Stop Islamization of Nations; Associate Director: American Freedom Defense Initiative and Stop Islamization of America; and Director, *Jihad Watch*)

■ Website: [www.intelligencesummit.org](http://www.intelligencesummit.org)

## Islamist Watch (IW)

Founded 21 April 2006 as a project of the Middle East Forum (MEF) think-tank. IW monitors and campaigns against Islamist organisations in the United States and the Western world.

Director: **Marc J. Fink**, since 2012

Former Director: **Dr Paul Belien** (Editor, *The Brussels Journal* blog and Co-Vice President, International Free Press Society), 2006-2012

■ Website: [www.islamist-watch.org](http://www.islamist-watch.org)

## Jihad Watch

Founded 23 September 2003 as a Counter-Jihadist website. It is a project of, and funded by, the David Horowitz Freedom Center (DHFC). *Jihad Watch* is based at the Washington D.C. headquarters of the *Human Events* newspaper. It incorporates *Dhimmi Watch* ([www.jihadwatch.org/dhimmiwatch/archives](http://www.jihadwatch.org/dhimmiwatch/archives)). *Jihad Watch* has close links with the American Freedom Defense Initiative (AFDI) and Stop Islamization of America (SIOA).

It is listed as a ‘hate group’ by the Southern Poverty Law Center (SPLC).

Founder and Director: **Robert B. Spencer** (Vice-President, Stop Islamization of Nations and Associate Director: American Freedom Defense Initiative and Stop Islamization of America)

Vice-President: **Hugh Fitzgerald** (Senior Review Editor, *New English Review* and Director, World Encounter Institute), since 2004

■ Website: [www.jihadwatch.org](http://www.jihadwatch.org)



### Middle East Forum (MEF)

Founded 1990 as a neo-conservative think-tank on Middle Eastern affairs. The Philadelphia-based MEF campaigns against Sharia law and the Islamisation of the United States. It launched the *Islamist Watch* website on 21 April 2006 and the Legal Project (LP) ([www.legal-project.org](http://www.legal-project.org)) in June 2007, which raises and distributes funds for anti-Islamist authors, activists and publishers who face defamation lawsuits brought by aggrieved Muslim organisations. The LP also acts as a source of information on 'Islamist lawfare'. The MEF established a Legal Defence Fund for Geert Wilders' (Leader, Dutch Party for Freedom) defence in 2009. It publishes the *Middle East Quarterly* (MEQ) (2004-) journal. ([www.mequarterly.org](http://www.mequarterly.org))

Founder and President: **Dr Daniel Pipes** (advisory board member: Clarion Fund, Endowment for Middle East Truth and the International Free Press Society)

Director: **Dr Efraim Karsh** (Editor, *Middle East Quarterly* journal and author, *Islamic Imperialism: A History*, Yale University Press, 2006)

Associate Fellow: **Nidra Poller** (Paris Editor, *Pajamas Media* and advisory board member, International Free Press Society)

■ Website: [www.meforum.org](http://www.meforum.org)



### New English Review (NER)

Founded January 2006 as a monthly online magazine.

Publisher: **Rebecca Bynum** (Secretary, World Encounter Institute and former board member, *Jihad Watch*)

Senior Review Editor: **Hugh Fitzgerald** (Vice-President, *Jihad Watch* and Director, World Encounter Institute)

Contributing Editors include: **Daniel L. Adams** (co-founder, Stop Islamization of America) and **Nidra Poller** (Paris Editor, *Pajamas Media* and advisory board member, International Free Press Society)

Employee: **Kendra Adams** (co-founder, Stop Islamization of America)

■ Website: [www.newenglishreview.org](http://www.newenglishreview.org)

### Pajamas Media (PJ Media)

Founded 2005 originally as *Pajamas Media* (PJM). It was renamed PJ Media in 2011. It is a conservative blog and online network of 100 Conservative bloggers. Pajamas TV (PJTV) was launched in August 2008 as an online news organisation ([www.pjtv.com](http://www.pjtv.com)). PJ Media used its online platform in summer 2010 to oppose the planned Park51 Islamic community centre near Ground Zero in New York City. *Pajamas Media* was cited twice in Norwegian mass murderer Anders Breivik's manifesto posted online on 22 July 2011.

Co-founders: **Roger L. Simon** and **Charles Johnson** (founder, *Little Green Footballs* blog)

Chief Executive: **Roger L. Simon**

Paris Editor: **Nidra Poller** (advisory board member, International Free Press Society)

Columnist: **Roger Kimball** (Editor and Publisher, *The New Criterion* magazine and advisory board member, International Free Press Society)

PJ Media runs a *Sharia and Jihad Review*. Its Contributors include:

**Brigitte Gabriel** (President: Act! for America and Act! for America Education)

**Frank J. Gaffney Jr.** (President, Center for Security Policy)

**Dr Walid Phares** (Terrorism expert)

**Robert B. Spencer** (Vice-President, Stop Islamization of Nations; Associate Director: American Freedom Defense Initiative and Stop Islamization of America; and Director, *Jihad Watch*)

■ Website: [www.pjmedia.com](http://www.pjmedia.com)





## Sharia Awareness Action Network (SAAN)

Founded May 2011 as a grassroots network of anti-Islamist individuals and organisations which campaign against Sharia law and the Islamisation of the United States. SAAN sponsored the Tennessee Freedom Coalition (TFC) *The Constitution or Sharia: Preserving Freedom* conference in Nashville on 11 November 2011.

SAAN's sponsors include:

Center for Security Policy (CSP)

Religious Freedom Coalition (RFC)

Tennessee Freedom Coalition (TFC)

*WorldNetDaily* (WND)

Its Steering Committee includes:

**Elizabeth Farah** (co-founder, *WorldNet Daily* online news service)

**Frank J. Gaffney Jr.** (President, Center for Security Policy)

**Pamela L. Geller** (President, Stop Islamization of the Nations and Executive Director: American Freedom Defense Initiative and Stop Islamization of America)

**Lou Ann Zelenik** (former Executive Director, Tennessee Freedom Coalition)

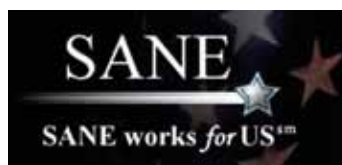
■ Website: [www.shariafreeusa.com](http://www.shariafreeusa.com)



## US public sentiments

Sentiments about the threat of Islam to the United States appear to be softening in recent months. According to a February survey by the Washington-based Public Religion Research Institute, 14 percent of Americans said they believed Muslims wanted to impose Shariah in America, down from 30 percent in September.

This confirms a growing resistance to attempts to impose anti-Sharia Law legislation in a number of states.



## Society of Americans for National Existence (SANE)

Founded January 2006 as a campaigning organisation and think-tank. The Brooklyn, New York-based SANE has led the 'anti-Sharia' movement in the United States. It has been listed as a 'hate group' by the Southern Poverty Law Center (SPLC).

SANE launched an anti-Sharia campaign in 2007 entitled *Mapping Shari'a in America: Knowing the Enemy* ([www.mappingsharia.com](http://www.mappingsharia.com)) which sought to determine exactly what type of Sharia law was practiced in every single mosque and Muslim religious institution throughout the United States. It also proposed legislation in 2007 to criminalise those who practice Sharia with a 20-year prison sentence.

David Yerushalmi, its founder, drafted in 2010 the model 'anti-Sharia' legislation, known as American Laws for American Courts (ALAC), on behalf of the American Public Policy Alliance (APPA), which has been enacted into law in three US states (Tennessee, Louisiana and Arizona) and introduced in over twenty other state legislatures. Yerushalmi works closely with Frank Gaffney's Centre for Security Policy (CSP), from which he has been funded.

Founder and President: **David Yerushalmi** (lawyer and General Counsel: Center for Security Policy and Stop Islamization of America).

Director, SANE's *Mapping Shari'a in America* project, 2007-2011: **Paul David Gaubatz** (co-author, *Muslim Mafia: Inside the Secret Underworld That's Conspiring to Islamize America*, WorldNetDaily Books, 2009)

■ Website: [www.saneworks.us](http://www.saneworks.us)

## Stand Up America Now!

Founded 2010. It campaigns against the Islamisation of the United States and organises anti-Islamist rallies across the country.

Founder: **Dr Terry Jones** (radical Christian Pastor; leader of the fundamentalist Dove World Outreach Center church in Gainesville, Florida who has publicly burnt the Koran on two occasions: 20 March 2011 and 28 April 2012).

■ Website: [www.standupamericanow.org](http://www.standupamericanow.org)





### Stop Islamization of America (SIOA)

Founded 25 September 2009 as a grassroots organisation to oppose radical Islam, Sharia law and the Islamisation of the United States. SIOA is the United States affiliate of Stop Islamisation of Europe (SIOE). SIOA has been described by the Anti-Defamation League (ADL) as promoting 'a conspiratorial anti-Muslim agenda under the guise of fighting radical Islam'. It has been listed as a 'hate group' by the ADL and by the Southern Poverty Law Centre (SPLC).

SIOA co-ordinated protests in summer 2010 against the proposed construction of Park 51 Islamic community centre near 'Ground Zero' in Lower Manhattan, New York. It launched *Campaign Offensive: Stop the 9/11 Mosque!* on 7 May 2010. SIOA organised a *No 9/11 Mosque at Grand Zero* ([www.nomosquesatgroundzero.wordpress.com](http://www.nomosquesatgroundzero.wordpress.com)) rally in New York on 6 June 2010, which was supported by Act! for America, the American Freedom Defense Initiative (AFDI) and Faith Freedom International (FFI).

SIOA has co-organised since 2010 an annual anti-Islamist *9/11 Freedom Rally* in New York on the anniversary of 9/11. It also sponsored inflammatory advertisements in July 2010 on public buses in three US cities, Detroit, Miami and New York, encouraging people to leave Islam and offering its *Refuge from Islam* ([www.refugefromislam.com](http://www.refugefromislam.com)) website.

SIOA works closely with Act! for America, the American Freedom Defense Initiative (AFDI), Faith Freedom International (FFI) and *Jihad Watch*.

Co-founder: **Daniel L. Adams** (historian and Contributing Editor: Family Security Matters and *New English Review*)

Co-founder: **Kendra Adams** (*New English Review*)

Executive Director: **Pamela L. Geller** (President, Stop Islamization of Nations and Executive Director, American Freedom Defense Initiative)

Associate Director: **Robert B. Spencer** (Vice-President, Stop Islamization of Nations and Associate Director, American Freedom Defense Initiative; and Executive Director, *Jihad Watch*)

General Counsel: **David Yerushalmi** (President, Society of Americans for National Existence)

SIOA's Board members include:

**James Lafferty** (Chairman, Virginia Anti-Sharia Taskforce)

**John Joseph Jay** (lawyer; co-founder, American Freedom Defense Initiative, and who wrote 'burn all the mosques. period.' as part of a 4-point 'start the revolution' manifesto posted on his *summer patriot*, *winter soldier* [www.wintersoldier2008.typepad.com](http://www.wintersoldier2008.typepad.com) blog on 26 September 2011)



### The Tea Party Movement

The Tea Party movement is an ultra-conservative/libertarian grassroots movement. It is an umbrella term to describe a broad movement which generally advocates limited government, fiscal conservatism, free markets and individual freedom. There are six major Tea Party organisations: Freedom Works; Patriot Action Network (previously known as Resisnet); Tea Party Express; Tea Party Nation; Tea Party Patriots and 1776 Tea Party.

All, to varying degrees, campaign against 'Islamisation' and many local chapters have actively supported the activities of the anti-Sharia Law campaigns.

The name is derived from the anti-tax grassroots rebellion by New England colonists against King George III and punitive British taxes in the 'Boston Tea Party' on 16 December 1773. The modern movement's name derives from the five-minute on-air rant by Rick Santelli (Business News editor, CNBC) on 19 February 2009 who called for a new 'Chicago Tea Party' from the floor of the Chicago Mercantile Exchange. Tea Party is also an acronym for 'Taxed Enough Already'.

The Tea Party movement is not a national political party. It has no central leadership or single national leader. It is a decentralised loose network of 2 million grassroots activists and 250,000 registered members organised in 2,000 local chapters in all fifty states. The Tea Party movement mobilises and raises funds via the internet. It is aligned with the Republican Party and is trying to influence the Republican Party and move it further to the right. It has the potential to strongly influence Republican congressional and presidential primaries in 2012.





## Tennessee Freedom Coalition (TFC)

Founded March 2011 as a Tennessee-based, local Tea Party grassroots organisation. The TFC is anti-immigration and campaigns against the Islamisation of the United States. It has organised two anti-Islamist conferences in Nashville, Tennessee: *A Warning to America* conference on 12 May 2011 and *The Constitution or Sharia: Preserving Freedom* conference on 11 November 2011. The TFC works closely with Act! for America, the Center for Security Policy (CSP), the Eagle Forum (EF) and Stop Islamization of America (SIOA).

Co-founder, Chairman and Executive Director: **Andy W. Miller Jr.** (who has endorsed the English Defence League and met its leader, Stephen Lennon in London in July 2011)

Co-founder and former Executive Director: **Lou Ann Zelenik** (former Chairman, Republican Party and organiser, Tea Party movement, Rutherford County, Tennessee), 2011-2012

■ Website: [www.tnfreedomcoalition.org](http://www.tnfreedomcoalition.org) and [www.facebook.com/tnfreedomcoalition](http://www.facebook.com/tnfreedomcoalition)

## The Religion of Peace (TROP)

The Religion of Peace runs *The Myths of Muhammad* site on its website.

Editor: **Glen Roberts**

■ Website: [www.thereligionofpeace.com](http://www.thereligionofpeace.com)

## Thomas More Law Center (TMLC)

Founded 29 December 1998 as a Christian/religious Right law firm. The Michigan-based TMLC describes itself as “the Christian response to the American Civil Liberties Union (ACLU)”. It defends and promotes traditional Judeo-Christian heritage and values in the United States. The Centre takes its name from Thomas More, former Lord Chancellor in Elizabethan England in the 16<sup>th</sup> century.

President: **Richard Thompson**

Senior Trial Counsel: **Robert J. Muise** (Senior Counsel, American Freedom Law Center)

■ Website: [www.thomasmore.org](http://www.thomasmore.org)



## The United West (TUW)

Founded 2007 originally as the Florida Security Council (FSC). It was renamed The United West (TUW) on 6 March 2011. TUW campaigns against the introduction of Sharia law and the Islamisation of North America. It co-ordinates the activities of Counter-Jihadist organisations in the United States and Europe. The FSC organised an inaugural *Free Speech Summit* in Delray Beach, Florida on 27 April 2009, where Geert Wilders (leader, Dutch Party for Freedom) was awarded the annual *International Freedom of Speech* award.

Founder and President: **Tom A. Trento**

■ Website: [www.theunitedwest.org](http://www.theunitedwest.org) and [www.facebook.com/theunitedwest](http://www.facebook.com/theunitedwest)

## Virginia Anti-Shariah Taskforce (VAST)

Founded June 2009. VAST campaigns against the introduction of Sharia law in Virginia and the United States. It works closely with Stop Islamization of America (SIOA).

Founder and Chairman: **James Lafferty** (board member, Stop Islamization of America and former Chairman, Coalition for Religious Freedom)

■ Website: [www.virginiaantisharia.blogspot.co.uk](http://www.virginiaantisharia.blogspot.co.uk)

## WorldNetDaily (WND)

Founded 1997 as an independent right-wing conspiracy-minded online news service. The Washington DC-based WND publishes *Whistleblower* (formerly *WorldNet*) monthly magazine and *Joseph Farah's G2 Bulletin* (10 February 2003-) weekly online intelligence newsletter. It is also the publisher of choice for many of the leading Counter-Jihadist activist authors in the United States.

Founder, Editor and Chief Executive: **Joseph Farah** (member, Council for National Policy; former daily talk-show host and author, *Taking America Back: A Radical Plan to Revive Freedom, Morality and Justice*)

Co-founder: **Elizabeth Farah** (steering committee member, Sharia Awareness Action Network)

■ Website: [www.wnd.com](http://www.wnd.com)



## Christine Brim

As head of the International Civil Liberties Alliance, Christine Brim is arguably the most important networker in the global Counter-Jihad movement. The ICLA, and the conferences it holds, brings together virtually every strand of this international network.

■ Chief Operating Officer, Center for Security Policy (CSP).

- Chief Executive, International Civil Liberties Alliance (ICLA).
- Secretary, International Free Press Society (IFPS), since 2009.
- Executive Director, Victory Coalition Fund.
- Addressed United American Committee (UAC) 2<sup>nd</sup> annual national *Rally Against Islamo-Fascism Day* (RAID) at 'Ground Zero', New York on 31 March 2007.

Co-author: *Shariah: The Threat to America – An Exercise in Competitive Analysis Report of Team B II* (Center for Security Policy Press, 2010) ([www.shariahthethreat.org](http://www.shariahthethreat.org)).



## Dr Andrew G. Bostom

Author ([www.andrewbostom.org](http://www.andrewbostom.org))

- Advisory Board member, International Free Press Society (IFPS).
- Contributing Editor, *Family Security Matters* (FSM).
- Addressed inaugural *Counter-Jihad* conference in Brussels on 18 October 2007.

■ Addressed *Counter-Jihad* conference in Vienna on 11-12 May 2008.

■ Co-sponsored *Atlas Shrugs* fringe meeting addressed by Geert Wilders (Leader, Dutch Party for Freedom) at the annual CPAC conference in Washington DC on 27 February 2009.

■ Addressed Danish Free Press Society/*Islam-Critical Network* conference on *The Fate of Infidels in Muslim-dominated Societies*, in Copenhagen on 26 September 2009.

■ Addressed International Free Press Society (IFPS) sponsored conference in Washington DC on 27 October 2009.

■ Addressed Tennessee Freedom Coalition (TFC) *The Constitution or Sharia: Preserving Freedom* conference in Nashville, Tennessee on 11 November 2011.

Author, *The Legacy of Jihad: Islamic Holy War and the Fate of Non-Muslims* (Prometheus Books, 2005)

Editor, *The Legacy of Islamic Antisemitism: From Sacred Texts to Solemn History* (Prometheus Books, 2008)

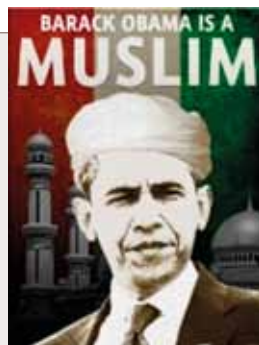
*Sharia Versus Freedom: The Legacy of Islamic Totalitarianism* (Prometheus Books, 2012)

## Obama the Muslim

Despite being in office for three years and holding the most high profile and scrutinised job in the world, many Republican voters in Southern states still believe that President Obama is a Muslim and that his parents' interracial marriage should have been illegal.

A survey of Republican voters during the Alabama and Mississippi Republican primaries, by Public Policy Polling, found that about half still believe he is Muslim and about 1 in 4 believes his parent's interracial marriage should be illegal.

The poll of Mississippi Republicans found that 52% believed Obama is a Muslim, 36% weren't sure and only 12% said they believed he is a Christian. He fared slightly better in



Alabama, where 45% said he is a Muslim, 41% weren't sure, and 14% said he is a Christian.

Various anti-Obama activist groups, including many profiled in this report, have repeatedly sought to perpetuate the myth that he is a "secret Muslim". A University of Georgia poll conducted during the 2008 presidential campaign showed that, despite great efforts by Obama and his team to refute the claim, a persistent 18% of Americans continued to believe he was a Muslim. Just under half of

Republicans (47%) believed he was a Muslim.

By 2011 11% of the general population still believed he was a Muslim. Amongst Conservatives this rose to 21% and among Tea Party supporters this rose to 27%.

A third of Conservatives and Tea Party supporters were not sure as to his religion.





## Rebecca Bynum

Publisher, *New English Review* (NER).

- Secretary, World Encounter Institute.
- Former Board of Directors member, *Jihad Watch*.
- Addressed inaugural Stop Islamization of America (SIOA) meeting on 25 September 2009.

■ Addressed ACT! for America meeting on *Why Islam is not a Religion* in Memphis, Tennessee on 18 October 2011.

Author, *Allah is Dead: Why Islam is not a Religion* (New English Review Press, 2011)



## Nonie Darwish

Egyptian-born, US-based exile and former Muslim turned Coptic Christian convert.

([www.noniedarwish.com](http://www.noniedarwish.com) and [www.nonie-darwish.com/blogspot.co.uk](http://www.nonie-darwish.com/blogspot.co.uk))

- Founder and President, Arabs for Israel ([www.arabsforisrael.com](http://www.arabsforisrael.com)), since February 2004.

■ Co-founder and Director, Former Muslims United (FMU), since September 2009. ([www.formermuslimsunitd.org](http://www.formermuslimsunitd.org))

■ Signatory to the St. Petersburg Declaration on 5 April 2007, which opposed political Islam.

■ Received Endowment of Middle East Truth (EMET) 2007 *Speaker of the Truth Award*.

■ Addressed Stop Islamization of America (SIOA) *No 9/11 Mosque at Ground Zero* rally in New York on 6 June 2010.

Author: *Now They Call Me Infidel: Why I Renounced Jihad for America, Israel and the War on Terror* (Sentinel HC, 2006)

*Cruel and Unusual Punishment: The Terrifying Global Implications of Islamic Law* (Thomas Nelson, 2009)

*The Devil We Don't Know* (2012)



## Dr Rachel Ehrenfeld

Founder and Director, American Center for Democracy ([www.acdemocracy.org](http://www.acdemocracy.org)) since 2001. The ACD supports the Coalition to Stop Shariah (CSS).

- Advisory Board member, International Free Press Society (IFPS).
- Advisory Board member, Endowment for Middle East Truth (EMET).

■ Advisory Council member, The Intelligence Summit.

■ Contributing Editor, *Family Security Matters* (FSM).

■ Attended inaugural *Counter-Jihad* conference in Brussels on 18-19 October 2007.

■ Addressed International Free Press Society (IFPS) sponsored conference in Washington DC on 28 October 2009.

■ Received Danish Free Press Society 2011 *Sappho Award*.

Author, *Funding Evil: How Terrorism is Financed – and How to Stop It* (Taylor Trade Publishing, 2003 and revised edition, MultiEducator, 2011)



## Steven A. Emerson

Key player in the Counter-Jihadist movement in the United States. Journalist and Terrorism expert, since the 1990s. ([www.steveemerson.com](http://www.steveemerson.com))

■ Founder and Executive Director, Investigative Project on Terrorism (IPT), since 1995.

■ Contributing Editor, *Family Security Matters* (FSM).

■ Addressed David Horowitz Freedom Center (DHFC) 15<sup>th</sup> annual Restoration Weekend, Palm Beach, Florida, 19-22 November 2009.

■ Received Endowment of Middle East Truth (EMET) 2007 *Speaker of the Truth Award*.

■ Cited twice in Anders Breivik's manifesto.

Author: *American Jihad: The Terrorists Living Among Us* (Free Press, 2002)

*Jihad Incorporated: A Guide to Militant Islam in the US* (Prometheus Books, 2006)

Producer, 65-minute documentary film *Terrorists Among Us: Jihad in America* (PBS, 1994)

Co-commentator, film documentary *Radical Islam: Terror in its Own Words* (Fox News Channel, 2007)



### Hugh Fitzgerald

- Vice-President, *Jihad Watch*, since 2004.
- Director, World Encounter Institute (WEI).
- Senior Review Editor, *New English Review*.
- Cited in Anders Breivik's manifesto.



### Brigitte Gabriel aka Nour Saman

A Lebanese American commentator and journalist who founded *ACT! For America* and the ***American Congress for Truth***, which campaign against Fundamentalist Islam and which probably has the largest Counter-Jihadist network in the United States. As a commentator Gabriel is regularly heard on Fox News, MSNBC

and CNN and her first book – *Because they hate*, was featured on the New York Times best sellers list. Leading grassroots Counter-Jihadist activist in the United States since 2001.

- Founder and President: ACT! for America Education, since 2002.
- Advisory Board member, International Free Press Society (IFPS).
- Advisory Council member, The Intelligence Summit.
- Contributing Editor, *Family Security Matters* (FSM).
- Received Endowment of Middle East Truth (EMET) 2007 *Speaker of the Truth Award*.
- Supporter, Coalition to Stop Shariah (CSS), since 2008.
- Addressed Eagle Forum (EF) conference in St Louis, Missouri in March 2011.
- Addressed Tennessee Freedom Coalition (TFC) *The Constitution or Sharia: Preserving Freedom* conference in Nashville, Tennessee on 11 November 2011.

Author: *Because They Hate: A Survivor of Islamic Terror Warns America* (St Martin's Press, 2006)

*They Must be Stopped: Why We Must Defeat Radical Islam and How We Can Do It* (St Martin's Press, 2008)



### Frank J. Gaffney Jr.

Frank J. Gaffney, founder of the Center for Security Policy, is a well-connected and influential figure in the Conservative movement in America. Born in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania. During the 1970s he worked as an aide to Richard Perle in the office of Senator Henry M. Jackson while, in the 1980s, he was Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense for Nuclear

Forces and Arms in the Reagan Administration.

- Host, Secure Freedom Radio ([www.securefreedomradio.org](http://www.securefreedomradio.org) and [www.securefreedomradio.podbean.com](http://www.securefreedomradio.podbean.com))
- Columnist: *National Review Online* (NRO) and *The Washington Times*.
- Nominated Assistant Secretary of Defense for International Security Policy, in 1987.
- Advisory Board member, International Free Press Society (IFPS).
- Advisory Board member, Clarion Fund.
- Advisory Board member, Endowment for Middle East Truth (EMET).
- Steering Committee member, Sharia Awareness Action Network (SAAN).
- Contributing Editor, *Family Security Matters* (FSM).
- Supporter, Coalition to Stop Shariah (CSS), since 2008.
- Sponsored Geert Wilders' address to the National Press Club in Washington DC on 27 February 2009.
- Attended International Free Press Society (IFPS) sponsored conference in Washington DC on 27-28 October 2009.
- Addressed Eagle Forum (EF) conference in St Louis, Missouri in March 2011.
- Addressed Faith and Freedom Coalition (FFC) annual conference in June 2011.
- Addressed Tennessee Freedom Coalition (TFC) *The Constitution or Sharia: Preserving Freedom* conference in Nashville, Tennessee on 11 November 2011.
- Addressed Christians United for Israel conferences.
- Cited 7 times (together with his CSP) in Anders Breivik's manifesto.

Co-author: *War Footing: Ten Steps America Must Take to Prevail in the War for the Free World* (Naval Institute Press, 2005)

*Shariah: The Threat to America – An Exercise in Competitive Analysis Report of Team B II* (Center for Security Policy Press, 2010) ([www.shariahthethreat.org](http://www.shariahthethreat.org)).

Executive Producer, *Islam vs. Islamists* documentary film DVD (ABG Films, 2007)



## Pamela L. Geller

An American blogger, author and political activist, Pam Geller is the principal leader of the Counter-Jihadist movement in the world. She co-founded the Freedom Defense Initiative and Stop the Islamization of America. A leading campaigner against the development of the Islamic Community Center in lower Manhattan, close to Ground Zero.

- Co-founder and President, Stop Islamization of Nations (SION), since 2012.
- Executive Director, Stop Islamization of America (SIOA), since 2010.
- Co-founder and Executive Director: American Freedom Defense Initiative (AFDI), since 2010.
- Founder, Editor and Publisher, anti-Islamist *Atlas Shrugs* blog, since 2004.
- Steering Committee member, Sharia Awareness Action Network (SAAN).
- Columnist: *American Thinker*, *Human Events* and *WorldNetDaily* (WND).
- Prominent activist, Stop the Madrassa Community Coalition, a New York-based, anti-Islamist grassroots organisation, 2007-2009. ([www.stopthemadrassa.wordpress.com](http://www.stopthemadrassa.wordpress.com))
- Former Associate Publisher, *The New York Observer*, 1989-1994.
- Attended inaugural *Counter-Jihad* conference in Brussels on 18-19 October 2007.
- Addressed Ariel Center for Policy Research (ACPR) *Facing Jihad* conference in Jerusalem on 14 December 2008.
- Addressed International Free Press Society (IFPS) sponsored conference in Washington DC on 27 October 2009.
- Addressed Bloc Identitaire (BI) meeting in Paris in June 2010.
- Received David Horowitz Freedom Center (DHFC) 2010 *Annie Taylor Award for Courage*.
- Addressed Tennessee Freedom Coalition (TFC) *The Constitution or Sharia: Preserving Freedom* conference in Nashville, Tennessee on 11 November 2011.
- Regularly addressed ACT! for America and local Tea Party movement meetings across the United States.
- Received Center for Security Policy (CSP) 2008 *Defender of the Home Front* award.
- Received CPAC inaugural 2012 *Anti-Jihad Blogger of the Year* award for *Atlas Shrugs*.

■ Has endorsed the English Defence League (EDL) (*Atlas Shrugs*, 3 March 2010).

■ Cited 12 times (together with her *Atlas Shrugs* blog) in Anders Breivik's manifesto.

Author: *Stop the Islamization of America: A Practical Guide to the Resistance* (World Net Daily Books, 2011)

Co-author: *The Post-American Presidency: The Obama Administration's War on America* (Simon and Schuster, 2010)

### PAMELA GELLER ... in her own words

*"Islam is not a race. This is an ideology. This is an extreme ideology, the most radical and extreme ideology on the face of the earth."*

**PAM GELLER**

On Fox Business' "Follow the Money,"  
March 10, 2011

*"Obama is a third worlder and a coward. He will do nothing but beat up on our friends to appease his Islamic overlords."*

**PAM GELLER**

AtlasShrugs.com, April 13, 2010

*"Hussein [meaning President Obama] is a muhammadan. He's not insane ... he wants jihad to win."*

**PAM GELLER**

AtlasShrugs.com, April 11, 2010





### Dr Tawfik Hamid (aka Tarek Abdelhamid)

Egyptian-born, US-based, Muslim exile. ([www.tawfikhamid.com](http://www.tawfikhamid.com)). Terrorism expert.

Former Jemaah Islamiya al-Jihad (JI) (Egyptian Islamic Jihad) jihadist terrorist.

■ President, Global Movement Against Radical Islam.

- Advisory Council member, The Intelligence Summit.
- Founder, Islam for Peace ([www.islamforpeace.org](http://www.islamforpeace.org)) website.
- Member, American Islamic Leadership Coalition (AILC).
- Signatory to the St. Petersburg Declaration on 5 April 2007, which opposed political Islam.
- Received Endowment of Middle East Truth (EMET) 2009 *Speaker of the Truth Award*.

Author: *The Roots of Jihad* (Top Executive Media, 2006)

*Inside Jihad: Understanding and Confronting Radical Islam* (Abdelhamid, 2008)

*Understanding Radical Islam*



### David J. Horowitz

A leading conservative American commentator and founder of the David Horowitz Freedom Center, a leading think tank which helps fund and co-ordinate counter-Jihad activities, including financing Jihad Watch. Probably the most important public funder of the Counter-Jihad movement in the world.

- Ran the *NewsRealBlog*, 2009-2011
- Co-sponsored *Atlas Shrugs* fringe meeting addressed by Geert Wilders (Leader, Dutch Party for Freedom) at the annual CPAC conference in Washington DC on 27 February 2009.
- David Horowitz organised a fundraising dinner for Geert Wilders in the US.
- Cited once (together with his DHFC) in Anders Breivik's manifesto.

Author: *Unholy Alliance: Radical Islam and the American Left* (Regnery Publishing, 2004)

Co-author: *Obama and Islam* (David Horowitz Freedom Center, 2010)

*Islamophobia: Thought Crime of the Totalitarian Future* (David Horowitz Freedom Center, 2011)



### Dr M. Zuhdi Jasser

American-Syrian Muslim.

■ Founder and President, American Islamic Forum for Democracy (AIFD), since 2004.

■ Founder and President, American Islamic Leadership Coalition (AILC), since 2010.

■ Advisory Board member, Clarion Fund.

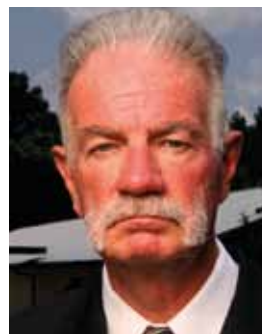
■ Consulting Editor, *Family Security Matters* (FSM).

■ Co-founder, Center for Islamic Pluralism (CIP) ([www.islamicpluralism.org](http://www.islamicpluralism.org)) think-tank.

■ Supporter, Coalition to Stop Shariah (CSS), since 2008.

■ Received Center for Security Policy (CSP) 2008 *Defender of the Home Front* award.

Author: *Battle for the Soul of Islam* (Simon and Schuster, 2012)



### Dr Terry Jones

Radical Christian Pastor. ([www.terryjones2012.com](http://www.terryjones2012.com))

Leader, Dove World Outreach Center church in Gainesville, Florida.

Twice publicly burnt the Koran: on 20 March 2011 and 28 April 2012.

US Presidential candidate in 2012.

Author, *Islam is of the Devil* (Creation House, 2010)



Terry Jones marching in Washington, D.C.  
Photo: Mark Taylor



## James Lafferty

- Founder and Chairman, Virginia Anti-Sharia Taskforce (VAST).
- Board member, Stop Islamization of America (SIOA).
- Addressed Stop Islamization of America (SIOA) *No 9/11 Mosque at Ground Zero* rally in New York on 6 June 2010.
- Addressed inaugural (SIOA) 9/11

*Freedom Rally* in New York on 11 September 2010.

- Addressed Tennessee Freedom Coalition (TFC) *The Constitution or Sharia: Preserving Freedom* conference in Nashville, Tennessee on 11 November 2011.
- Addressed American Freedom Defence Initiative (AFDI) *Islamic Law in America* meeting at the annual CPAC conference in Washington DC on 10 February 2012).



## Martin Mawyer

- Founder and President, Christian Action Network (CAN), since 1990.
- Advisory Board member, International Free Press Society (IFPS).
- Organised meeting in London in August 2009 between Counter-Jihadist activists from Britain and the United States, which included

interviewing three representatives of the English Defence League (EDL) for a CAN documentary on Islamist radicalisation in Europe, due for release in 2012.

- Addressed Stop Islamization of America (SIOA) inaugural meeting in Washington DC on 25 September 2009.
- Attended British Pakistani Christian Association (BPCA)-organised event in London and delivered speech on radical Islam in Europe at Trafalgar Square in March 2012.



## Mark R. Levin

Radio talk-show host, *The Mark Levin Show* ([www.marklevinshow.com](http://www.marklevinshow.com))

Author: *Liberty and Tyranny: A Conservative Manifesto* (Threshold Editions, 2009)

Photo: Mark Taylor



## Edward S. May (aka Ned May and Baron Bodissey)

Principal organiser of the international Counter-Jihad movement, 2006-2011 and one of the most important and respected bloggers.

- Co-founder, *Gates of Vienna* blog, since 2004.

■ Former Outreach Co-ordinator, International Free Press Society (IFPS), 2009-2010.

■ Former Co-Director, Center for Vigilant Freedom (CVF)/International Civil Liberties Alliance (ICLA), 2007-2011.

■ Co-organiser: UK and Scandinavia *Counter-Jihad* summit, Copenhagen (14 April 2007) and the *Counter-Jihad* conferences in Brussels (18-19 October 2007), Vienna (10-11 May 2008) and Copenhagen (16-17 May 2009).

■ Cited (together with his *Gates of Vienna* blog) over 100 times in Anders Breivik's manifesto.

■ Attended *Counter-Jihad* conference in Zurich on 12-13 June 2010.

■ Attended *Counter-Jihad* conference in London on 24-25 September 2011.



## Clare M. Lopez

- Senior Fellow, Center for Security Policy (CSP).
- Vice-President, Intelligence Summit.
- Advisory Board member, Clarion Fund.
- Advisory Board member, International Free Press Society (IFPS).
- Contributing Editor, *Family*

*Security Matters* (FSM).

■ Former Field Operations Officer, Central Intelligence Agency (CIA) for twenty years.

Co-author: *Shariah: The Threat to America – An Exercise in Competitive Analysis Report of Team B II* (Center for Security Policy Press, 2010) ([www.shariahthethreat.org](http://www.shariahthethreat.org)).



### Andrew C. McCarthy

- Senior Fellow, National Review Institute (NRI).
- Advisory Board member, International Free Press Society (IFPS).
- Contributing Editor, *Family Security Matters* (FSM).
- Contributing Editor, *National Review Online* (NRO).

■ Advisory Board member, American Freedom Law Center (AFLC).

■ Former Federal prosecutor and Assistant United States Attorney for the Southern District of New York.

■ Addressed David Horowitz Freedom Center (DHFC) 15<sup>th</sup> annual Restoration Weekend, Palm Beach, Florida, 19-22 November 2009.

Author: *Willful Blindness: A Memoir of the Jihad* (Encounter Books, 2008)

*The Grand Jihad: How Islam and the Left Sabotage America* (Encounter Books, 2010)

*How Obama Embraces Islam's Sharia Agenda* (Encounter Books, 2010)

Co-author: *Shariah: The Threat to America – An Exercise in Competitive Analysis Report of Team B II* (Center for Security Policy, 2010) ([www.shariahthethreat.org](http://www.shariahthethreat.org)).



### Robert J. Muike

Lawyer. Co-founder and Senior Counsel, American Freedom Law Center (AFLC), in 2000.

Senior Trial Counsel, Thomas More Law Center (TMLC). He has acted as lawyer to Pamela L. Geller (President, Stop Islamization of Nations).

- Addressed International Free Press Society (IFPS) sponsored

conference in Washington DC on 27-28 October 2009.

■ Addressed American Freedom Defence Initiative (AFDI) *Islamic Law in America* meeting at the annual CPAC conference in Washington DC on 10 February 2012.



### Dr Walid Phares

Lebanese-born Christian, US-based exile. Terrorism expert, since the 1990s. Former council member, Lebanese Forces (LF) umbrella Phalangist militia, 1986-1989 and external/foreign affairs spokesman, 1986-1987. The LF was responsible for the massacres of Palestinians at the Sabra and Shatila refugee camps in Beirut in September 1982 during

the Lebanese civil war. ([www.walidphares.com](http://www.walidphares.com))

- President, World Lebanese Organisation.

■ Advisory Board member, Clarion Fund.

■ Contributing Editor, *Family Security Matters* (FSM).

■ Former Advisory Board member, American Congress for Truth (ACT).

■ Former Senior Fellow and Director, Future Terrorism Project, Foundation for Defense of Democracies (FDD) think-tank, 2001-2010.

■ Received Endowment of Middle East Truth (EMET) 2009 *Speaker of the Truth Award*.

■ Middle East advisor to US 2012 election Republican presidential hopeful Mitt Romney.

Author: *Lebanese Christian Nationalism: The Rise and Fall of an Ethnic Resistance* (Lynne Rienner Publishers, 1995)

*Future Jihad: Terrorist Strategies Against America* (Palgrave Macmillan, 2005)

*The War of Ideas: Jihadism against Democracy* (Palgrave Macmillan, 2007)

*The Confrontation: Winning the War Against Future Jihad* (Palgrave Macmillan, 2008)

Co-commentator, film documentary *Radical Islam: Terror in its Own Words* (Fox News, 2007)





## Dr Daniel Pipes

Principal powerhouse of the Counter-Jihadist movement in the United States but also one of the more mainstream, respectable and influential figures. Historian and neo-conservative political commentator. ([www.danielpipes.org](http://www.danielpipes.org))

■ Founder and President, Middle East Forum (MEF), since 1990.

- Advisory Board member, International Free Press Society (IFPS).
- Advisory Board member, Clarion Fund.
- Advisory Board member, Endowment for Middle East Truth (EMET).
- Contributing Editor, *Family Security Matters* (FSM).
- Columnist, *National Review* and *The Jerusalem Post*.
- Prominent activist, Stop the Madrasa Community Coalition, a New York-based, anti-Islamist grassroots organisation, 2007-2009. ([www.stopthemadrassa.wordpress.com](http://www.stopthemadrassa.wordpress.com))
- Attended UK and Scandinavia *Counter-Jihad* summit in Copenhagen on 14 April 2007.
- Received Danish Free Press Society 2007 *Sappho Award*.
- Addressed Ariel Center for Policy Research (ACPR) *Facing Jihad* conference in Jerusalem on 14 December 2008.
- Attended launch of Die Freiheit (Freedom) in Berlin on 28 October 2010.
- Cited 18 times (together with his MEF) in Anders Breivik's manifesto.

Author: *In the Path of God: Islam and Political Power* (Basic Books, 1983)

*Militant Islam Reaches America* (W. W. Norton, 2002)



## Nidra Poller

US-born, France-based Journalist.

- Paris Editor, *Pajamas Media* (PJ Media).
- Contributing Editor: *Family Security Matters* (FSM) and *New English Review* (NER).
- Advisory Board member, International Free Press Society (IFPS).

■ Addressed inaugural *Counter-Jihad* conference in Brussels on 18 October 2007.

■ Attended French *Counter-Jihad* Congress, 30 August 2008.



## Phyllis Schlafly

Lawyer. Founder and President, Eagle Forum (EF), since 1972.

- Founder member, Council for National Policy (CNP).
- Received David Horowitz Freedom Center (DHFC) *Annie Taylor Award*.





## Walid Shoebat (pseudonym)

Palestinian-born, US-based, former Muslim turned evangelical Christian convert.

- Founder, Walid Shoebat Foundation. ([www.shoebat.com](http://www.shoebat.com))
- Self-described former Palestine Liberation Organisation (PLO) terrorist.

■ Co-founder and Executive Board member, Former Muslims United (FMU), since 2009.

■ Advisory Board member, Endowment for Middle East Truth (EMET).

■ International Patron, Q Society of Australia.

■ Cited 15 times in Anders Breivik's manifesto.

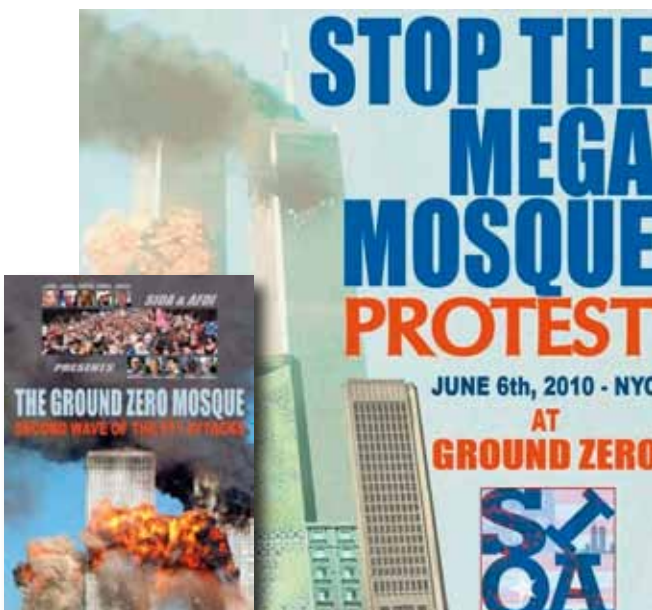
Author: *Why I Left Jihad: The Root of Terrorism and the Return of Radical Islam* (Top Executive Media, 2005)

*Why We Want to Kill You: The Jihadist Mindset and How to Defeat it* (Top Executive Media, 2007)

Co-author: *God's War on Terror: Islam, Prophecy and the Bible* (Top Executive Media, 2008)

Contributor: *Islam: What the West Needs to Know* ([www.whatthewestneedstoknow.com](http://www.whatthewestneedstoknow.com))

98-minute documentary film DVD (Quixotic Media, 2007)



## Robert B. Spencer

An American author and blogger, and the founder of *Jihad Watch*, which has been designated a hate group by the Southern Poverty Law Centre. Spencer co-founded the Freedom Defense Initiative and Stop the Islamization of America and is one of the most influential and high profile Counter-Jihadist organisers in the world.

■ Co-founder and Vice-President, Stop Islamization of Nations (SION), since 2012.

■ Associate Director: Stop Islamization of America (SIOA), since 2010.

■ Co-founder and Associate Director: American Freedom Defense Initiative (AFDI), since 2010.

■ Founder and Director, *Jihad Watch*, since 2003.

■ Advisory Board member, International Free Press Society (IFPS).

■ Advisory Council member, The Intelligence Summit.

■ Advisory Board member, Christians and Jews United for Israel (CJUI).

■ Columnist: *FrontPage Magazine* (FPM) and *Human Events*.

■ International Patron, Q Society of Australia.

■ Former Advisory Board member, American Congress for Truth (ACT).

■ Addressed David Horowitz Freedom Center (DHFC) *The Next Moves of Radical Islam* panel in Santa Barbara, California in 2007.

■ Addressed inaugural *Counter-Jihad* conference in Brussels on 18 October 2007.

■ Addressed Ariel Center for Policy Research (ACPR) *Facing Jihad* conference in Jerusalem on 14 December 2008.

■ Co-sponsored *Atlas Shrugs* fringe meeting addressed by Geert Wilders (Leader, Dutch Party for Freedom) at the annual CPAC conference in Washington DC on 27 February 2009.

■ Addressed Pro-Köln *Stop Islamisation Conference* in Cologne on 9 May 2009.

■ Addressed Danish Free Press Society meeting in Copenhagen on 12 May 2009.

■ Addressed Bürgerbewegung Pax Europa (BPE) rally in Berlin on 3 October 2009.

■ Addressed International Free Press Society (IFPS) sponsored conference in Washington DC on 27 October 2009.

- Addressed Sweden Democrats (SD) *Islam and the Jihad Against Europe* seminar in Visby, Sweden on 5 July 2010.
  - Addressed Bürgerbewegung Pax Europa (BPE) *Big Islam-Critical Weekend* rally in Stuttgart on 3-5 June 2011.
  - Addressed Tennessee Freedom Coalition (TFC) *The Constitution or Sharia: Preserving Freedom* conference in Nashville, Tennessee on 11 November 2011.
  - Has endorsed the English Defence League (EDL). (*Jihad Watch*, 21 March 2010)
  - Cited 162 times (together with his *Jihad Watch* website) in Anders Breivik's manifesto.
- Author: *Islam Unveiled: Disturbing Questions About the World's Fastest-Growing Faith* (Encounter Books, 2002)
- Onward Muslim Soldiers: How Jihad Still Threatens America and the West* (Regnery Publishing, 2003)
- Editor: *The Myth of Islamic Tolerance: How Islamic Law Treats Non-Muslims* (Prometheus Books, 2005)
- The Politically Incorrect Guide to Islam (and the Crusades)* (Regnery Publishing, 2005)
- The Truth about Muhammad: Founder of the World's Most Intolerant Religion* (Regnery Publishing, 2006)
- Religion of Peace? Why Christianity is and Islam isn't* (Regnery Publishing, 2007)
- Stealth Jihad: How Radical Islam is Subverting America Without Guns or Bombs* (Regnery Publishing, 2008)
- The Complete Infidel's Guide to the Koran* (Regnery Publishing, 2009)
- Did Muhammad Exist?: An Inquiry into Islam's Obscure Origins* (ISI Books, 2012)
- Co-author: *The Post-American Presidency: The Obama Administration's War on America* (Simon and Schuster, 2010)
- Obama and Islam* (David Horowitz Freedom Center, 2010)
- Islamophobia: Thought Crime of the Totalitarian Future* (David Horowitz Freedom Center, 2011)
- Contributor: *Islam: What the West Needs to Know* (www.whatthewestneedstoknow.com)
- 98-minute documentary film DVD (Quixotic Media, 2007)



## Mark Steyn

Canadian-born, US-based, Political Commentator and writer. (www.steynonline.com)

■ Advisory Board member, International Free Press Society (IFPS).

■ Received Danish Free Press Society 2010 *Sappho Award*.

Author: *America Alone: The End of the World as We Know It* (Regnery Publishing, 2006)

*Lights Out: Islam, Free Speech and the Twilight of the West* (Stockade Books, 2009)

*After America: Get Ready for Armageddon* (Regnery Publishing, 2011)



## Dr Wafa Sultan (aka Alsultana Wafa)

Syrian-born, US-based exile, psychiatrist and former Muslim. (www.wafasultan.org)

■ Co-founder and Executive Board member, Former Muslims United (FMU), since 2009.

■ Advisory Board member, Stop Islamization of Nations, since 2012.

■ Confirmed meeting Geert Wilders (Leader, Dutch Party for Freedom) several times in 2009 and agreed in general with his views on Islam.

■ Addressed American Freedom Defense Initiative (AFDI) *Jihad: The Political Third Rail* meeting at the annual CPAC conference in Washington DC on 19 February 2010.

■ Addressed Danish Free Press Society *Women Under Islam* conference in Copenhagen on 19 May 2011.

■ Addressed Tennessee Freedom Coalition (TFC) *The Constitution or Sharia: Preserving Freedom* conference in Nashville, Tennessee on 11 November 2011.

■ Signatory to the St. Petersburg Declaration on 5 April 2007, which opposed political Islam.

■ Received Endowment of Middle East Truth (EMET) 2008 *Speaker of the Truth Award*.

Author: *A God Who Hates: The Courageous Woman who Inflamed the Muslim World Speaks Out Against the Evils of Islam* (St Martin's Press, 2009)





### Tom A. Trento

■ Founder and President, The United West (TUW), since 2011.

■ Addressed Bloc Identitaire (BI) *International Congress on the Islamisation of Europe* in Paris on 18 December 2010.

Co-author: *Shariah: The Threat to America – An Exercise in Competitive Analysis Report of Team B II* (Center

for Security Policy Press, 2010)



### Dr Serge (aka Srdja) Trifkovic

([www.trifkov.mysite.com](http://www.trifkov.mysite.com))

US-based, Serbian historian and Foreign Affairs Editor, *Chronicles* ([www.chroniclesmagazine.org](http://www.chroniclesmagazine.org)) paleo-conservative magazine, since 1998.

Former Director, Center for International Affairs, Rockford Institute, until 2008.

Unofficial spokesman for the Bosnian Serb convicted war criminal Biljana Plavsic, 1994-1995.

Addressed *Counter-Jihad* conference in Vienna on 11 May 2008.

Addressed inaugural Preserving Western Civilization (PWC) conference in Baltimore, Maryland on 6-8 February 2009.

Addressed *Counter-Jihad* conference in Copenhagen on 17 May 2009.

Author: *The Sword of the Prophet: Islam – History, Theology, Impact on the World* (Regina Orthodox Press, 2002)

*Defeating Jihad: How the War on Terror May Yet be Won, in Spite of Ourselves* (Regina Orthodox Press, 2006)



### Ibn Warraq (pseudonym)

Pakistan-born, US-based, former Muslim.

■ Co-founder and Chair, Institute for the Secularization of Islamic Society (ISIS).

■ Co-founder and Executive Board member, Former Muslims

United (FMU), since 2009.

■ Co-founder, Apostates of Islam (AoI) ([www.apostatesofislam.com](http://www.apostatesofislam.com)).

■ Advisory Board member, International Free Press Society (IFPS).

■ Vice-President, World Encounter Institute (WEI).

■ Former Board of Directors member, *Jihad Watch*.

■ Signatory to the St. Petersburg Declaration on 5 April 2007, which opposed political Islam.

■ Received Danish Free Press Society 2008 *Free Speech Award*.

Author: *Why I am Not a Muslim* (Prometheus Books, 1995)

*The Origins of the Koran: Classic Essays on Islam's Holy Book* (Prometheus Books, 1998)

*The Quest for the Historical Muhammad* (Prometheus Books, 2000)

*What the Koran Really Says: Language, Text and Commentary* (Prometheus Books, 2002)

Editor: *Leaving Islam: Apostates Speak Out* (Prometheus Books, 2003)

*Which Koran?: Variants, Manuscripts, Linguistics* (Prometheus Books, 2009)

*Virgins? What Virgins? and Other Essays* (Prometheus Books, 2010)

*Why the West is Best: A Muslim Apostate's Defense of Liberal Democracy* (Encounter Books, 2011)



## Lt Col. Allen B. West

Republican Congressman from Florida, since 2011. ([www.allenwestforcongress.com](http://www.allenwestforcongress.com))

- Advisory Board member, International Free Press Society (IFPS).
- Addressed American Freedom Defense Initiative (AFDI) *Jihad: The Political Third Rail* meeting

at the annual CPAC conference in Washington DC on 19 February 2010.

- Addressed American Freedom Defense Initiative (FDI) meeting in Rahmen in March 2010.
- Addressed Act! for America national conference on 23 June 2011.
- Attended Centre for Security Policy (CSP) events.
- Received *FrontPage Magazine* (FPM) 2003 *Man of the Year* award.



## Diana West

- Co-Vice President, International Free Press Society (IFPS), since 2009.
- Contact, IFPS – United States.
- Contributing Editor, *Family Security Matters* (FSM).
- Columnist, *Washington Examiner* and *The Washington Times*. ([www.dianawest.net](http://www.dianawest.net))

Author: *The Death of the Grown-up: How America's Arrested Development is Bringing Down Western Civilization* (St Martin's Press, 2007)



## David Yerushalmi

A prominent American lawyer who co-founded the American Freedom Law Center and has acted as chief counsel for the American Freedom Defense Initiative, amongst other groups. He has arguably done more than anyone to spread the anti-Muslim agenda at a local level in the United States. In 2011 the *New York Times* named Yerushalmi as "The man behind the anti-Shariah movement", which has been enacted into law in five US states and has been introduced in over twenty other state legislatures. ([www.davidyerushalmilaw.com](http://www.davidyerushalmilaw.com))

- Founder and President, Society of Americans for National Existence (SANE), since 2006.
  - Co-founder: American Freedom Law Center (AFLC), in 2011.
  - General Counsel: Centre for Security Policy (CSP); Stop Islamization of America (SIOA) and Stop the Madrassa: A Community Coalition, a New York-based, anti-Islamist grassroots organisation, 2007-2009. ([www.stopthemadrassa.wordpress.com](http://www.stopthemadrassa.wordpress.com))
  - Represented the Thomas More Law Center (TMLC) in a case in December 2008 defending the notorious radical Christian Pastor Terry Jones (leader of the fundamentalist Dove World Outreach Center church in Gainesville, Florida; author, *Islam is of the Devil*, 2010 and who has publicly burnt the Koran on two occasions: 20 March 2011 and 28 April 2012).
  - Addressed International Free Press Society (IFPS) sponsored conference in Washington DC on 27-28 October 2009.
  - Addressed Tennessee Freedom Coalition (TFC) *The Constitution or Sharia: Preserving Freedom Conference* in Nashville, Tennessee on 11 November 2011.
- Co-author: *Shariah: The Threat to America – An Exercise in Competitive Analysis Report of Team B II* (Center for Security Policy Press, 2010) ([www.shariahthethreat.org](http://www.shariahthethreat.org)).

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*"Muslims who profess to reject and abhor Islamic terrorism, however, still profess belief in a book and a prophet that have inspired Islamic violence and supremacism worldwide, even among believers who have no institutional connection to al-Qaeda or any other jihad group."*

**ROBERT SPENCER**

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## Rest of the world / Australia



### Australian Defence League (ADL)

Founded

Leader: **Martin Brennan**

■ Website: [www.facebook.com/australiandefenceleague](http://www.facebook.com/australiandefenceleague)

### Australian Islamist Monitor (AIM)

Founded November 2006. AIM is an anti-Islamist organisation and website that campaigns against Sharia law and the Islamisation of Australia. It seeks to establish links with like-minded organisations across the world. AIM ceased operations in September 2011 but its website remains active. Its three co-founders were **Dan, Blue Heeler** and **Wendy Larkson**.

■ Website: [www.islammonitor.org](http://www.islammonitor.org)



### Q Society of Australia (Q)

Founded 1 December 2010 as a grassroots anti-Islamist organisation. The Victoria-based Society campaigns against the Islamisation of Australia. It launched a *SOS Save Our Schools from Islamisation* campaign in 2011 against the Islamisation of state schools in Australia. The Society organised a *Socio-Political Jihad: Conquering the West without Swords, Guns or Bombs* speaking tour for one of its Patrons, Robert B. Spencer, of four states in Australia from 26 November-1 December 2011.

President: **Geoff Dickson**

Deputy President: **Vickie Janson**

International Patrons include: **Walid Shoebat** (self-proclaimed former PLO terrorist) and

**Robert B. Spencer** (Vice-President, Stop Islamization of Nations; Associate Director: American Freedom Defense Initiative and Stop Islamization of America; and Director, *Jihad Watch*)

■ Website: [www.qsociety.org.au](http://www.qsociety.org.au)

### Winds of Jihad

Founded 4 December 2006.

■ Website: [www.sheikyermami.com](http://www.sheikyermami.com)





## Rest of the world / Israel



### Ariel Center for Policy Research (ACPR)

Founded 1997. The ACPR is a national security think-tank linked to the right-wing Likud Party. The Jerusalem-based ACPR opposes the peace process between Israel and the Palestinian administrations in the Occupied Territories of the West Bank and Gaza Strip.

The ACPR publishes the *Nativ* journal.

ACPR organised the *Facing Jihad: A Lawmakers' Summit* conference in Jerusalem on 14 December 2008. The Alliance of European Patriots, a coalition of European parliamentarians opposed to Islamisation, was founded at the conference. The Alliance did not survive long and its successor, the International Freedom Alliance (IFA), was launched in Berlin in October 2010.

The ACPR organised an international conference in Jerusalem on 7 December 2010 on behalf of the European Alliance for Freedom (EAF), at which the *Jerusalem Declaration* ([www.britishfreedom.org/jerusalem-declaration](http://www.britishfreedom.org/jerusalem-declaration)) against fundamentalist Islam, was signed by several prominent anti-Islamist politicians and activists from across Europe attending the conference. Signatories included:

**Filip Dewinter** (Vlaams Belang MP in the Flemish Parliament)

**Kent Ekeröth** (International Secretary, Sweden Democrats)

**René Stadtkewitz** (leader, Die Freiheit, Germany)

**Heinz-Christian Strache** (leader, Austrian Freedom Party)

**Geert Wilders** (leader, Dutch Party for Freedom)

**Elisabeth Sabaditsch-Wolff** (Austrian Counter-Jihadist activist)

The group also visited the Knesset and travelled to the West Bank to meet Jewish settlers.

■ Website: [www.acpr.org.il](http://www.acpr.org.il)



### HaTikva (The Hope) Party

Founded December 2007 as a far-right faction within the Ha-Ihud Ha-Leumi (National Union) Party. The Tel-Aviv-based movement advocates Jewish sovereignty over the 'whole Land of Israel'.

Founder and Leader: **Professor Arie Eldad MK** (physician and MK for the Moledet Party)

■ Website: [www.hatikva.org.il](http://www.hatikva.org.il) and [www.facebook.com/htikva.party/info](https://www.facebook.com/htikva.party/info)



### Professor Arie Eldad MK

MP for the Moledet (Homeland) Party.

Founder and Leader, Hatikva (The Hope) Party, since 2007.

Ultra-nationalist.

Columnist, *Maariv*, since 2006.

Former Israeli Defence Forces officer.

Addressed inaugural *Counter-Jihad* conference in Brussels on 18 October 2007.

Addressed Ariel Center for Policy Research (ACPR) *Facing Jihad* conference in Jerusalem on 14 December 2008.

Addressed Stop Islamization of America (SIOA) annual 9/11 *Freedom Rally* in New York on 11 September 2011.

# Anders Behring Breivik

## Profile

Anders Behring Breivik was born in Oslo on 13 February 1979. The son of a career diplomat and a nurse, his parents divorced when he was one year old. He lived thereafter with his mother, only maintaining limited contact with his father who moved to France. Contact came to an end when Breivik was 15. His mother remarried in 1999 and his stepfather, a former pilot, currently lives in Thailand. He had a middle-class upbringing. Although Breivik did not complete secondary school he went on to achieve a masters degree from the Oslo School of Management.

Breivik received military training as part of his compulsory national service and held licences for two weapons, including a Glock 17 semi-automatic pistol.

Breivik was an active member of the Oslo Pistol Club between 2005 and 2007 and again from November 2010, participating in 13 or 15 organised training sessions and one competition.

Breivik was a member of the Norwegian Order of Freemasons (Den Norske Frimurerorden) ([www.frimurer.no](http://www.frimurer.no)) from February 2007 until July 2011 when he was expelled after the 22 July 2011 twin attacks. He attended four meetings of his local lodge in Oslo.

Breivik established a farming/agricultural business called Breivik Geofarm in the autumn of 2009, based at Amot, Hedmark county in eastern Norway.

His interests included bodybuilding and freemasonry. He was a compulsive user of online video games and a science fiction enthusiast.

He had no previous criminal record despite being an active tagger (graffiti artist) in his youth.

Breivik travelled to the United States aged 20 to receive plastic/cosmetic surgery on his face to improve his appearance.

## Political Background

Breivik is a Christian and self-described 'cultural conservative' and 'revolutionary nationalist'. He also signed off his manifesto, entitled *2083: A European Declaration of Independence*, as a 'Justiciar Knight Commander for Knights Templar Europe and co-Leader of the National and pan-European Patriotic Resistance Movement'.

Breivik was an active member of the libertarian, conservative populist and anti-immigration Progress Party (Fremskrittspartiet) (FrP) ([www.frp.no](http://www.frp.no)), the second largest and main opposition party in Norway, from 1999 until 2007 when his membership lapsed. He was Chair of the local Oslo West branch from January to October 2002 and a board member of the branch from October 2002 to November 2004.

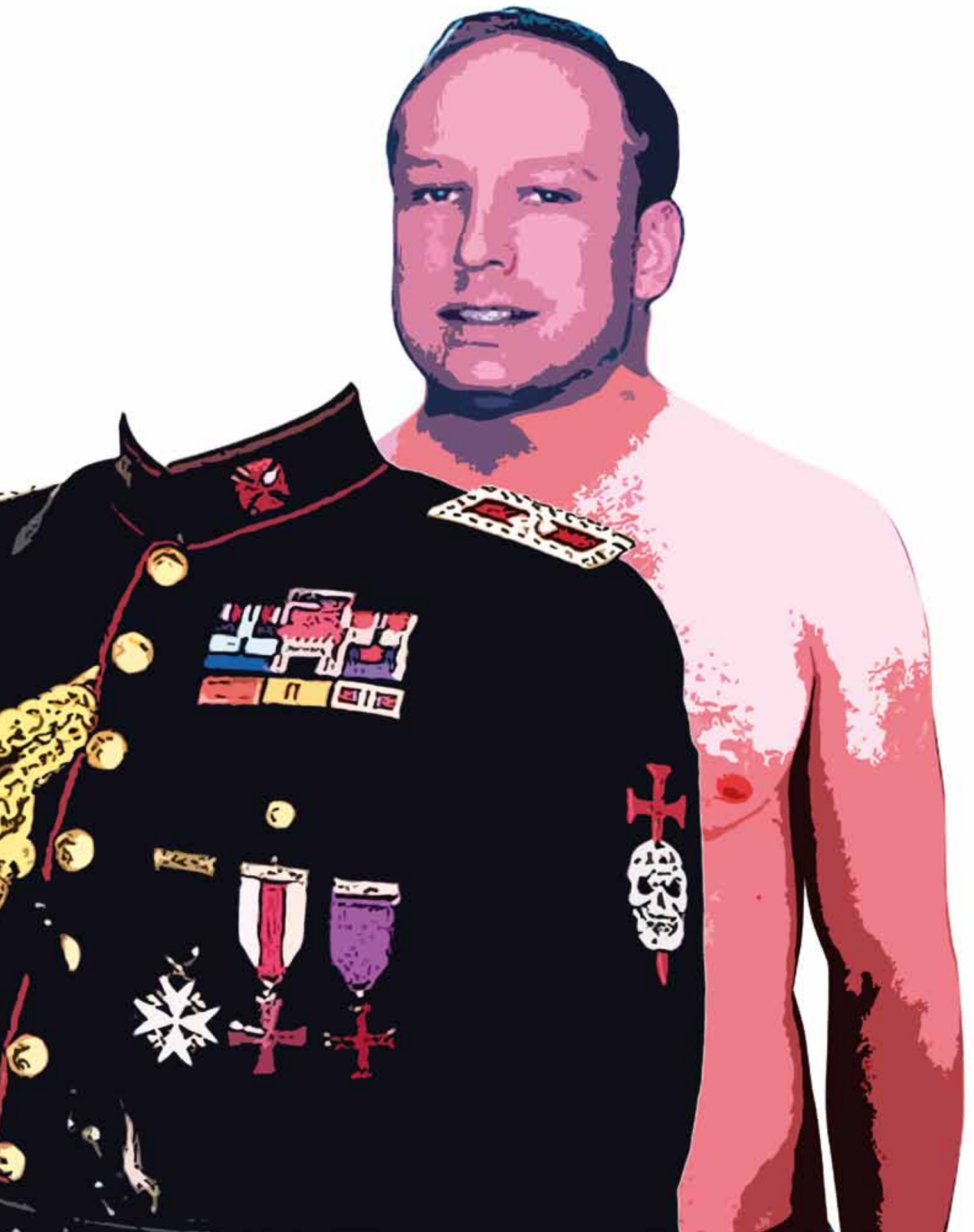
Breivik was a member of the youth-wing of the FrP, Progress Party's Youth (Fremskrittspartiets Ungdom) (FrU) ([www.fpu.no](http://www.fpu.no)) from 1997 to 2007. He was Deputy Leader of the local Oslo West Progress Party Youth branch from January to October 2002.

Breivik appears to have undergone an extreme radicalisation after leaving the Progress Party.



In the wake of the terrorist attacks in Norway committed by Anders Breivik, Pamela Geller claimed that the young people killed were bound to become "leaders of the party responsible for flooding Norway with Muslims who refuse to assimilate, who commit major violence against Norwegian natives including violent gang rapes, with impunity, and who live on the dole."









### The terror attacks of 22 July 2011

Breivik, disguised as a policeman, detonated a 950 kg car bomb outside the office of the Norwegian Prime Minister and several other government buildings in central Oslo which killed eight people and injured 89 others. Two hours later, Breivik went on a 79-minute mass shooting spree, wearing a police uniform illegally acquired on the Internet, at the annual summer camp of the youth-wing, Arbeidernes Ungdomsfylking (AUF) (Workers' Youth League), of Norway's governing Labour Party attended by some 600 teenagers on the island of Utøya, 40 kilometres (25 miles) north-west of Oslo, killing 69 people, predominantly teenagers, and injuring 62 others.

It was the deadliest terrorist attack in Norway since the Second World War and the worst peacetime mass murder in European post-war history.

Breivik claims to have spent nine years planning the attacks. In 2002 he began to raise funds for the operation by starting a business venture from scratch to finance the operation. He bought six tons/tonnes of artificial fertiliser in May 2011, ten weeks prior to the twin attacks, which was used to make the car bomb that was detonated in central Oslo. Between 1,000 and 1,500 kg of additional bomb-making material and three tons of artificial fertiliser were found stockpiled at Breivik's farmhouse in Amot, Hedmark county in eastern Norway, that could when refined have been used to manufacture a third bomb (or several IEDs).

Breivik has confessed to carrying out the twin bombing and shooting attacks on 22 July 2011 but denies criminal responsibility for the attacks and has pleaded not guilty to terrorism charges. He has been charged with acts of terrorism which carry a maximum prison sentence under Norwegian law of 21 years. Breivik has expressed no remorse for his actions.

He was declared criminally insane in a 240-page report released on 29 November 2011 by two Oslo District Court-appointed psychiatrists after three months of forensic assessment – including thirteen separate interviews covering 36 hours – in the high-security Ila prison near Oslo, where he was held in the run up to his trial which started on 16 April 2012. The hearing was scheduled to last ten weeks until 22 June 2012.

A second psychiatric assessment report released on 10 April 2012 concluded that Breivik was sane.

## Manifesto, 2083: A European Declaration of Independence

Breivik posted two electronic communications on the internet/online, written entirely in English under his anglicised pseudonym of Andrew Berwick, hours before the twin attacks on 22 July 2011. He posted a 12-minute anti-Islamist online video, entitled *Knights Templar 2083: Movie Trailer*, on YouTube six hours before the initial Oslo attack. He also posted online a 1,518-page manifesto entitled *2083: A European Declaration of Independence*, which was sent to exactly 1,000 e-mail addresses, including 250 British-based contacts (BNP, EDL and SIOE), ninety minutes before the Oslo attack. He gathered the e-mail addresses from spending hours trawling social media Facebook websites.

Recipients were based in Austria, Belgium, Bulgaria, Croatia, Czech Republic, Denmark, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Italy, Latvia, Malta, Netherlands, Poland, Portugal, Slovakia, Slovenia, Switzerland, Israel, India, Niue, Taiwan, Australia, New Zealand, Canada, the United States and Yugoslavia.

The title *A European Declaration of Independence* was first used in a declaration issued in March 2007 by *Fjordman* (aka **Peder Nøstvold Jensen**), a Norwegian Counter-Jihadist blogger, historian and author of *Defeating Eurabia* (BJ Books), 2008.

Breivik spent more than three years writing half of the declaration while the other half consists of a compilation of the writings of several anti-Islamist and Counter-Jihadist intellectuals, authors and bloggers in Europe and North America.

An analysis of Breivik's manifesto reveals the online network of anti-Islamist and Counter-Jihadist organisations that inspired him.

Breivik's manifesto contains numerous references and citations to the writings and statements of individuals and counter-Jihadist organisations:



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### UNITED KINGDOM

**Paul Weston** (Chairman, British Freedom Party)

*Is European Civil War Inevitable by 2025?* (31 March 2007) ([www.gatesofvienna.blogspot.com/2007/03/is-european-civil-war-inevitable-by.html](http://www.gatesofvienna.blogspot.com/2007/03/is-european-civil-war-inevitable-by.html))

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### DENMARK

**Lars Hedegaard** (President, International Free Press Society)

'It's going to be war. Like Lebanon' quoted in Bruce Bawer's *While Europe Slept: How Radical Islam is Destroying the West from Within* (Doubleday, 2006) (page 738 of Breivik's manifesto) ([www.gatesofvienna.blogspot.com/2006/04/fall-of-france-and-multicultural-world.html](http://www.gatesofvienna.blogspot.com/2006/04/fall-of-france-and-multicultural-world.html)) (18 April 2006)

### NORWAY

**Fjordman** (aka **Peder Jensen Nøstveldt**) (Norwegian, Danish-based, Counter-Jihadist blogger)

"The EU is formally surrendering an entire continent to Islam while destroying established national cultures, and is prepared to harass those who disagree with this policy. This constitutes the greatest organised betrayal in Western history, perhaps in human history, yet is hailed as a victory for 'tolerance'. It is a cultural and demographic war waged by mass immigration against native Europeans. The European Union – or the Eurabian Empire if you will – is a naked power grab by the elites to dismantle the nations they are supposed to serve. Ordinary citizens are simply cannon fodder, pawns to be sacrificed in the conquest of their glorious, new empire. Mass immigration is used to crush all nation states simultaneously so that the natives have no real alternatives to flee to, and no countries can come to the aid of others against the advancing Islamisation". (pages 317-318) ([www.brusselsjournal.com/node/3590](http://www.brusselsjournal.com/node/3590)) (13 October 2008)

"The creation of Eurabia is the greatest act of treason in the history of Western civilisation for two thousand years, since the age of Brutus and Judas. Eurabia can only be derailed by destroying the organisation that created it in the first place: The European Union". (pages 334-335) ([www.gatesofvienna.blogspot.com](http://www.gatesofvienna.blogspot.com))

"Muslims have lots of oil and lots of babies and lots of aggression, but that's all they have. Otherwise, they're a spectacular failure. We need them for very little. They need us for virtually everything. Their greatest flaw is their arrogance.

Muslims are arrogant losers". (page 336) ([www.gatesofvienna.blogspot.com/2008/03/boycott-united-nations.html](http://www.gatesofvienna.blogspot.com/2008/03/boycott-united-nations.html)) (30 March 2008)

"We should ban Muslim immigration. We should remove all Muslim non-citizens currently in the West. The veil should be banned in all public institutions". (page 337) ([www.gatesofvienna.blogspot.com/2008/03/boycott-united-nations.html](http://www.gatesofvienna.blogspot.com/2008/03/boycott-united-nations.html)) (30 March 2008)

"Multiculturalism equals the unilateral destruction of Western culture". (page 339) ([www.globalpolitician.com/22568-west](http://www.globalpolitician.com/22568-west))

"The West is becoming so overwhelmed by immigration that this may trigger civil wars in several Western nations in the near future. We already have massive Third World ghettos in our major cities. Future immigration needs to be more strictly controlled and ONLY non-Muslim". (page 340) ([www.globalpolitician.com/22568-west](http://www.globalpolitician.com/22568-west))

"We will get civil wars in several Western countries because of the immigration". (page 342) ([www.globalpolitician.com/22568-west](http://www.globalpolitician.com/22568-west))

"It isn't true that war is worse than everything. Sharia is worse than war". (page 348) ([www.frontpagemag.com](http://www.frontpagemag.com))

"The authorities throughout Western Europe are now dedicated to implementing continued mass immigration and multiculturalism no matter what the natives think. European political elites implement the agendas of our enemies and ignore the interests of their own people. They are thus collaborators and traitors and should be treated accordingly". (page 609) ([www.gatesofvienna.blogspot.com/2008/09/will-holland-survive-21st-century.html](http://www.gatesofvienna.blogspot.com/2008/09/will-holland-survive-21st-century.html)) (19 September 2008)

"My advice to Westerners in general is to arm themselves immediately, first of all mentally with knowledge of the enemy and pride in their own culture and heritage, but also physically with guns and the skills to use them. My bet is still on Britain, or possibly Denmark, as the first Western country to face a civil war due to Muslim immigration, but the Netherlands is a potential candidate as well". (page 610) ([www.gatesofvienna.blogspot.com/2008/09/will-holland-survive-21st-century.html](http://www.gatesofvienna.blogspot.com/2008/09/will-holland-survive-21st-century.html)) (19 September 2008)

"Multiculturalism is an anti-Western, but especially anti-European, hate ideology". (page 634) ([www.atlsshruugs2000.typepad.com/atlas\\_shruugs/2008/09/atlas-exclusi-1.html](http://www.atlsshruugs2000.typepad.com/atlas_shruugs/2008/09/atlas-exclusi-1.html)) (23 September 2008)

"Christians need to understand that there can be no peace or understanding with the Islamic world. They want to subdue us, pure and simple". (page 690) ([www.brusselsjournal.com/node/1357](http://www.brusselsjournal.com/node/1357)) (19 September 2006)

"How should we respond to the threats our civilisation is facing? First of all, ordinary citizens should arm themselves immediately since crime and violence is spreading fast throughout the Western world". (page 708) ([www.gatesofvienna.blogspot.com/2008/09/suggestions-for-future.html#c8772512582428522002](http://www.gatesofvienna.blogspot.com/2008/09/suggestions-for-future.html#c8772512582428522002)) (29 September 2008)

"We are against Islam" (page 709) (29 September 2008) (as above)

"It is likely that we will get civil wars in several western countries because of the ongoing mass immigration. This will finally demonstrate how serious the situation is and force other Western nations to act". (page 711) ([www.gatesofvienna.blogspot.com/2008/09/suggestions-for-future.html#c8772512582428522002](http://www.gatesofvienna.blogspot.com/2008/09/suggestions-for-future.html#c8772512582428522002)) (29 September 2008)

"The goal of European and Western survivalists – and that's what we are, it is our very survival that is at stake – should not be to 'fix the system', but to be mentally and physically prepared for its collapse, and to develop coherent answers to what went wrong and prepare to implement the necessary remedies when the time comes. We need to seize the window of opportunity, and in order to do so, we need to define clearly what we want to achieve. What went wrong with our civilisation, and how can we survive and hopefully regenerate", (pages 713-714) ([www.gatesofvienna.blogspot.com/2008/09/suggestions-for-future.html#c8772512582428522002](http://www.gatesofvienna.blogspot.com/2008/09/suggestions-for-future.html#c8772512582428522002)) (29 September 2008)

**A European Declaration of Independence:** [title copied by Breivik four years later]

"Europeans should launch tax rebellions and stage street demonstrations in every major European city until Muslim immigration is ended". We need a European Declaration of Independence, calling for our emancipation from the bureaucratic feudalism of Brussels and the totalitarian ideology of multiculturalism". (page 731) ([www.frontpagemag.com/Articles/Read.aspx?GUID=DFBC5B1B-02E3-4323-AECC-CC95AC15F905](http://www.frontpagemag.com/Articles/Read.aspx?GUID=DFBC5B1B-02E3-4323-AECC-CC95AC15F905)) (22 March 2007)

"My personal view is that the Jihad riots in France in 2005 could be interpreted as the early stages of a civil war, one of several Eurabian civil wars to come. Maybe future historians will dub this the Multicultural World War". (pages 734-735) ([www.gatesofvienna.blogspot.com/2006/10/suggestions-for-solutions-preliminary.html](http://www.gatesofvienna.blogspot.com/2006/10/suggestions-for-solutions-preliminary.html)) (4 October 2006)

## CANADA

**Dr Ali Sina** (Iranian-born, Canadian-based, former Muslim; founder, Faith Freedom International and advisory board member, Stop Islamization of Nations)

"All cultures are not made equal...Islam is not a culture. It is the antithesis of culture. It is barbarity, savagery and incivility. Islamic civilisation is an oxymoron, while Islamic terrorism is redundancy". (page 609) quote from *Understanding Muhammad and Muslims: A Psychobiography of Allah's Prophet* (LuLu, 2007)



## UNITED STATES

**Dr Daniel Pipes** (Founder Director, Middle East Forum and advisory board member, International Free Press Society)

“There is no such thing as a Palestinian people. Before 1948, they were referred to as Syrians. There was only Syria. The Palestinian phenomenon was created with the intention to justify Jihad”. (page 281) ([www.danielpipes.org/article/174](http://www.danielpipes.org/article/174)) (December 1986)

“Self-hating Westerners have an out-sized importance due to their prominent role as shapers of opinion in universities, the media, religious institutions, and the arts. They serve as the Islamists' auxiliary mujahideen.” (page 603) ([www.danielpipes.org/article/4227](http://www.danielpipes.org/article/4227)) (26 December 2006)

**Robert B. Spencer** (Vice-President, Stop Islamization of Nations; Associate Director: Stop Islamization of America and American Freedom Defense Initiative, and Director, *Jihad Watch*)

“Islam is the only religion in the world that has a developed doctrine theology and law that mandates violence against un-believers. In short there are peaceful and moderate Muslims but no peaceful and moderate Islam”. (page 115)  
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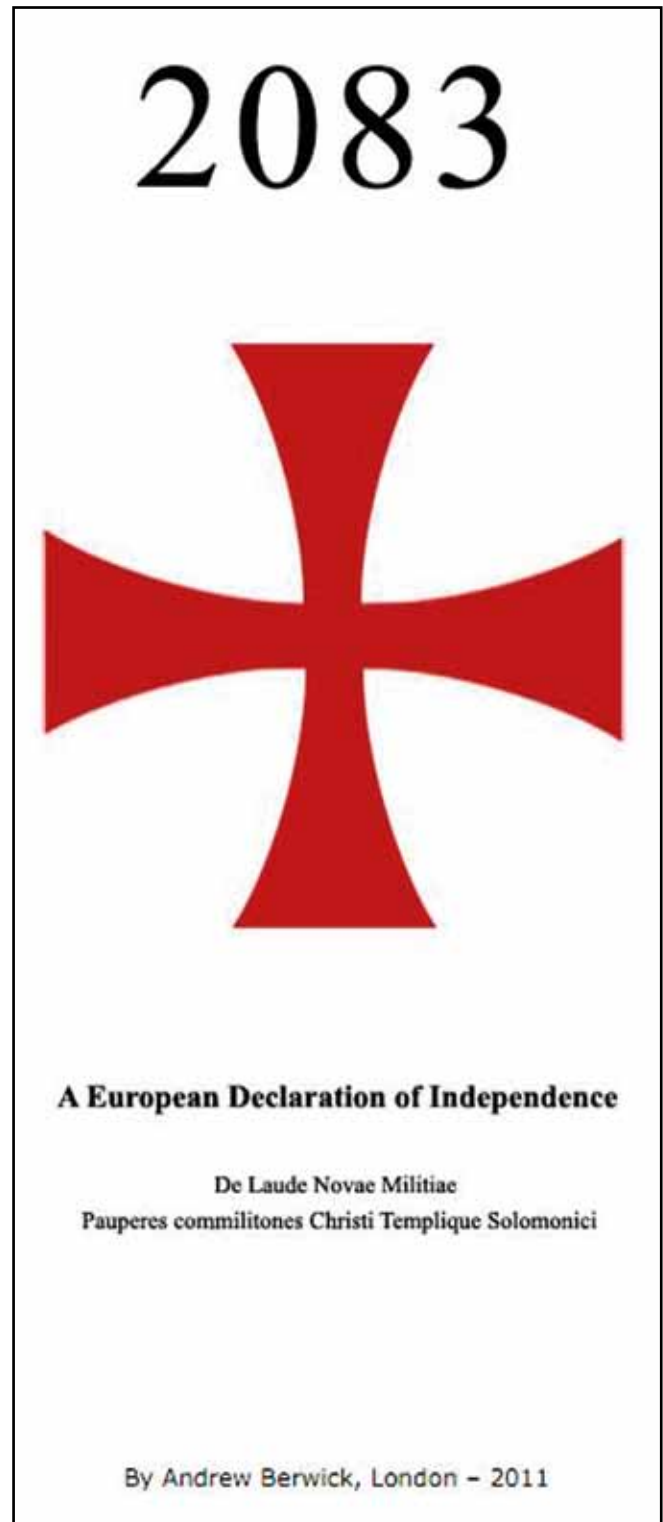
“Islam is a religion and is a belief system that mandates warfare against unbelievers for the purpose for establishing a societal model that is absolutely incompatible with Western society”. (page 126) No source given

**Dr Srdja (aka Serge) Trifkovic** (US-based, Serbian historian and Foreign Affairs Editor, *Chronicles* magazine)

“Cynically defeatist, self-absorbed and unaccountable to anyone but their own corrupt class, the Eurocrats are just as bad as jihad's fellow-travellers; they are its active abettors and facilitators” (page 298) from *FrontPage Magazine* ([www.frontpagemag.com/articles/ReadArticle.asp?ID=23915](http://www.frontpagemag.com/articles/ReadArticle.asp?ID=23915)) (18 August 2006)

**Ibn Warraq** (Pakistan-born, former Muslim and advisory board member, International Free Press Society)

“Islam is a totalitarian ideology that aims to control the religious, social and political life of mankind in all its aspects. And I mean Islam. I do not accept some spurious distinction between Islam and ‘Islamic fundamentalism’ or ‘Islamic terrorism’” (pages 549-550) ([www.jihadwatch.org/archives/003590.php](http://www.jihadwatch.org/archives/003590.php)) (18 October 2004)



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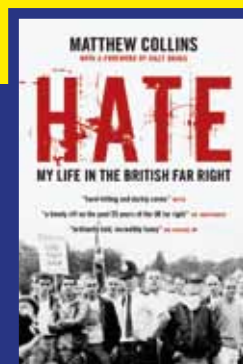
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